

Babe Ruth, 53, Sultan Of Swat Idol Of Many, Dies Of Cancer

By M. L. STEVENSON
New York, Aug. 17 (AP)—Babe Ruth is dead.

The one-time Yankee slugger, wasted by two years' illness and almost constant pain, died of cancer of the throat at 7:01 p. m. (EST) last night. He was 53.

A priest who administered the last rites of the Roman Catholic church said "The Babe has been prepared since July 21 for his death."

Ruth never knew that he had cancer, however.

More than 100 children who were gathered outside Memorial Hospital Center for Cancer and Allied Diseases walked sadly away when the end came.

Mass On Thursday

They were representative of the thousands of young and old who had stood vigil in relays outside the hospital where their stricken idol lay suffering. Millions of others all over the world had kept rooting for the Babe.

A mass for Ruth will be held Thursday morning in St. Patrick's Cathedral, but funeral plans were incomplete today.

His body was removed to a funeral chapel early today.

Two radio network memorial programs are scheduled for tonight—NBC from 8 to 9 p. m. (EST) and ABC from 8 to 9 p. m. (EST).

President Truman led the nation in paying tribute to the Babe, who battled his way to major league baseball immortality during 22 playing years.

Truman Sends Condolence

The President's message of condolence—the first of many received at the Ruth residence at 110 Riverside Drive—said:

"A whole generation of boys now grown to manhood will mourn the passing of the home run king of the baseball world. 'Babe' Ruth had all the qualities of a hero, and as an exemplar of clean sport was an inspiration to tens of thousands of rooters of all ages all over the country. x x x."

The President told Ruth's family: "To you and to all who mourn with you, I offer this assurance of heartfelt sympathy."

Ruth lapsed into unconsciousness (Please Turn to Page 4)

Littlestown

SCOUT PATROLS HAVE CAMPOREE OVER WEEK-END

A week-end camporee was enjoyed by the members of two patrols of Boy Scout Troop 84 at Camp Cone-wago. The group, under the supervision of Alton E. Bowers, scout master, Edgar E. Wolfe, assistant scout master, and Luther D. Snyder, of the troop committee, left Saturday afternoon and returned home early Sunday evening. The time was spent in canoeing, swimming and other outdoor activities, including a camp fire in the evening. Edgar Wolfe showed outdoor movies.

An outdoor meeting was held on Sunday evening on the church grounds by the members of the Christian Endeavor Society of St. John's Lutheran church. The call to worship was given by Betty Yealy after which a song service was held in which all members participated. The scripture lesson was read by Jean Yealy and prayer offered by Betty Yealy, who was the leader for the evening. Miss Eloise Yealy, who was elected to take over as president, when Miss Doris Renner, who has served in that capacity for several months, leaves to assume her duties as a student nurse, was in charge of the business session. It was decided not to hold a meeting next week, as there will be no church services and no Sunday school.

Plan Second Meeting

On Sunday, August 29, another outdoor meeting will be held, with Beverly DeHoff and Penny Nester as leaders. Members of other youth societies in the various churches of the town are invited to attend. Outdoor sports will follow the meeting, which will begin at 5:30 p. m., and those attending are requested to dress appropriately for games. The topic for the evening, in charge of the leader, was "What Trees Tell Us About God," and the discussion was followed by the reading of Joyce Kilmer's poem "Trees" by Penny Nester. The meeting closed with the Christian Endeavor benediction.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Horner and sons Richard and Robert, and Ronald Streig, attended the York-Adams Council cub circus on Saturday.

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Local Weather

Monday's high	85
Monday night's low	54
Today at 1:30 p. m.	78

Maternity dress, one-half price. Modern Miss shop, 6 Chambersburg street.

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KNOUSE URGES LARGE DISPLAY OF LOCAL FRUIT

M. E. Knouse, chairman of the executive committee of the South Mountain Fair Association, urged all countians, particularly fruit growers to "back up the fair by entering the largest number of exhibits ever" during the course of Monday evening's session at the Arendtsville Park.

"Fruit is usually one of the main attractions at the fair, and this year the fruit exhibit should be the finest in history. Realizing that the peach harvest is being extended right into the fair season, we still urge all fruit growers to give particular attention to the fair this year. We are scheduled to have the top men in the fruit industry here as speakers this year.

"Samuel Frazer, general secretary of the International Apple Association, who is to be one of our speakers, last week told me he plans to bring with him the head of the International association's Washington office. Fruit growers from four states will be here, including many of the industry's leaders. We should put on for them the finest horticulture exhibit we have ever had. It is seldom that a county the size of Adams can get together at one time so many leaders in the industry and we should do our part to make the fair's horticulture exhibit a success."

Seek Other Displays

That was a general plea on the part of all department superintendents Monday night—that the countians gather together their best products and their best livestock and put up the best exhibits possible.

Glen Kline, Gardner's R. D., superintendent of the apiary exhibit particularly urged countians who may own one or two bee hives to make an entry, if it only be an exhibit.

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Greenmount Club Holds Last Meeting

The Greenmount 4-H club held its final meeting Monday evening at the home of Jane Withrow who gave a report on the 4-H Club Week she attended at State College. The club won second prize in clothing exhibits. Nine members, the local leader and county representative attended the meeting.

It was announced that projects must be finished before the round-up to be held August 25 at Gettysburg high school. Plans are being made to take exhibits to the South Mountain Fair in September.

In the near future the club will hold a social get-together in the form of an outdoor picnic and swimming party.

TOURIST TOTAL FOR YEAR MAY SET NEW MARK

This year's tourist visitation to Gettysburg may exceed last year's total of 630,000, National Park officials indicated today.

With the last two week-ends being exceptionally notable for the thousands of tourists who visited here, the season will probably wind up as one of the largest in the town's history, if the influx of tourists continues on the same scale. Dr. J. Walter Coleman, park superintendent, said.

No estimates were available today for travel Saturday and Sunday but the park superintendent said that from his observation he felt that the figures would show one of the largest visitations this summer.

Compares With Holidays

Joseph H. Rosensteel, of the National Museum, said that the week-end compared favorably with the usually crowded Memorial Day and July 4th crowds. This past week-end, the week-end before that and the two holidays marked the largest turnout of tourists at any time this summer at the museum, he added.

Up to the end of July 428,000 (Please turn to Page 4)

Presides At Picnic For Master Farmers

H. E. Brown, Fairfield, president of the Master Farmers Association of Pennsylvania, presided Saturday at a master farmers' picnic held at the farm of H. M. Snively, Willow Street, Lancaster county.

Mr. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brown and family of Fairfield, County Agent and Mrs. M. T. Hartman, Gettysburg R. D., and Mr. and Mrs. John Menges, McSherrytown, were among the countians attending the affair. H. E. Brown and Mr. Menges are among the four Adams countians who have won the honor of being selected as master farmers.

Flower Show Date Is September 18

Date of the Gettysburg National Bank's annual flower show is September 18, and plans are being made to accommodate a large number of entries.

The show is limited to amateurs only, and only one entry per person may be made in each class with the exception of the miniature bouquets, where two per person will be allowed. The prize list was announced in The Gettysburg Times Monday.

PLAN TO SPRAY AT BIGLERVILLE ON WEDNESDAY

The Biglerville borough council's special mosquito committee announced today that arrangements have been completed with Vogel-Ritt, Inc., Hagerstown, to spray the borough Wednesday with an oil and DDT solution.

Equipment similar to that used in Gettysburg in late June will be used. Last year the Biglerville spraying was done by an airplane. This time it will be from the ground, using high pressure equipment which produces a fine fog capable of penetrating 75 feet.

The special committee, composed of Councilmen Harry Geiselman and Earle Garretson, made arrangements for the spraying Monday night with L. E. Sellman, representative of Vogel-Ritt.

Spraying will start about mid-morning, weather permitting. Mr. Geiselman said, and will probably be completed Thursday.

The spray equipment, mounted on a truck, will spray both sides of all streets and alleys in the borough. The outlying sections of the town will be done first.

The following warnings were issued:

Keep all bee hives covered.
Keep all fish ponds covered.
Keep birds, such as canaries, inside, and keep windows closed to prevent the mist from reaching the birds. Birds and gold fish are particularly susceptible to DDT.
Keep lily ponds covered unless they have a continuous flow of water.

The borough has just completed a weed-mowing campaign, and Mr. Geiselman said the committee wished to thank residents of the borough for their cooperation.

AG. TEACHER BEGINS WORK

Daniel A. Paddock, Gettysburg R. 2, Monday began his duties as a new teacher of veterans agriculture classes, Richard C. Lighter, supervisor of the classes in Adams county, announced.

Paddock, agricultural representative of the First National bank here since June, 1946, has been approved by the county school board to teach the class formerly taught by Joseph Scott, Lighter said.

There are 20 members in the class, with most of them living in the Gettysburg and Biglerville areas and with a few located in the McSherrytown section. Paddock held his first class Monday evening at Biglerville and the second today at lerville and the second Tuesday at the high school here.

A graduate of Cornell College of Agriculture in 1933, the new veterans' agriculture teacher, served for 12 years with the U. S. Department of Agriculture in the bureau of agriculture economics before joining the staff of the First National bank here.

BODY OF VET EN ROUTE HOME

Word has been received that the body of Pfc. Theron Joseph Little, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Little, Mt. Pleasant township, who died from wounds received in action, is en route home from an army cemetery in Marigny, Germany.

Pfc. Little was inducted December 8, 1942, at New Cumberland. He trained at Camp Van Dorn, Miss., and Camp Maxwell, Texas, before being transferred to Ft. Meade, Baltimore. He went overseas as a member of the 99th Infantry and was wounded August 12, 1944. He died the same day in an army hospital at the age of 25 years.

Surviving are his parents and the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. Clifton Warner, Gettysburg R. D.; Mrs. John Schlosser, Bonneauville; Mrs. Andrew Burline, McSherrytown; Mrs. Monroe Noble, Bonneauville; Doris Little, at home; Raymond, Hanover; John, Tulsa, Okla.; Norman, New Oxford R. D., and Philip, at home.

A requiem mass will be held at St. Joseph's Catholic church, Bonneauville, following the arrival of the body.

Worsham Checks Golf Card

Lew Worsham, 1947 National Open golf champion, smiling approval, checks his record-setting 67 at the formal opening of the Gettysburg Country club. With him are (left to right): Murray B. Frazee, general chairman of the formal opening committee; Glenn L. Bream, chairman of the golf committee; Worsham; Richard A. Brown, president of the club, and Dave Forney, chairman of the swimming committee.—Photo by Lane Studio



Will Dedicate Auditorium At Arendtsville Park To Vets Who Died In Conflict

The South Mountain Fair Association executive group, meeting at the Fair grounds near Arendtsville Monday evening, voted to develop an entirely new area for the horse show and livestock judging and decided to dedicate the new 1,500 seating capacity auditorium as a memorial to the World War II dead from Adams county.

A large field to the east of the new auditorium will be graded prior to the fair, and bleachers, borrowed from the Upper Adams Joint School System, will be installed. On that area, where last year part of the Fruit Growers' Field Day program was held, the horse show and judging events will be held.

Once that decision was reached the group began immediately to make plans for next year, with the hope of developing the area still further. Within another year, if the horse show proves as successful this year as is hoped, grandstands may be erected, a track fenced in, and stables constructed.

Judge W. C. Sheely this morning accepted the position of chairman of the committee for the dedicatory exercises which will be held at the fair grounds Sunday afternoon September 5 at 3 o'clock.

Glen Guise, a member of the committee, was directed to secure participation by a band in the program and work was begun immediately to secure a speaker, singers, and others to take part in the dedication.

Chairman LeRoy H. Winebrenner, of the horse show committee, announced that at least five entries will participate in every event and that at least 30 horses will be entered in the competition. For next year he said, if standard jumps can be set up, a jumping event should be established for the horse show.

Miss Bentley... And Our Educational System

(Editor's Note:—Mr. Taylor, in Washington attending the Un-American Activities Committee hearings, submits the following. It is particularly timely, and well worth the reading.)

By LEIGHTON C. TAYLOR

N EARLY a century ago Macaulay, the English historian, in drawing a parallel between America and ancient Rome, made this startling prophecy:

"Your Republic will be pillaged and ravaged in the Twentieth Century just as the Roman Empire was by the barbarians of the Fifth Century, with this difference, that the devastators of the Roman Empire came from abroad, while your barbarians will be the people of your own country—the product of your own institutions."

Our founding fathers and the leaders of the Revolutionary period doubtless anticipated the Macaulay warning as evidenced by the meticulous care and almost uncanny judgment which they exercised in establishing our governmental institutions. And following the establishment of the infant government no proposal commanded more unanimity than that of popular education. It was considered indispensable to permanence and security in a Republican form of government.

President Washington in his first annual message to the Congress said, inter alia, "Knowledge in every country is the surest basis of public happiness. To the security of a free constitution it contributes in various ways." He followed this with a recommendation for the establishment of a National University. Jefferson, while president, renewed Washington's recommendation with this observation: "The people," said Jefferson, "must not only be trained

RUSH WORK ON RE-LOCATION OF LINCOLN ROUTE

Of the three projects now under contract for modernization of 15.64 miles of the Lincoln highway from a point west of Fayetteville, Franklin county, to McKnightstown, the best progress was reported today by the Hempt Bros. firm, which holds the contract for reconstruction of the road from a point east of Fayetteville to Piney Mountain Inn.

The Hempt Bros. firm, which began laying concrete a number of weeks ago, has already completed two lanes of concrete paving extending from the western terminus of its contract to Caledonia park and now has a third lane of paving extending to the Black Gap road in Franklin county.

All of the Lincoln highway project will be of three-lane concrete construction except for a distance through Caledonia, where a four-lane, divided road will be built.

Affects Properties

On the second section of the Hempt Bros. project, between Caledonia and Piney Mountain inn, grading operations are rapidly being pushed to completion. Many properties in this section were affected by widening of the highway right-of-way and with few exceptions these properties have now been moved off the right-of-way or dismantled. One exception is the restaurant building of Caledonia Manor, which extends almost to the center of the new road. Plans are now being made to have the building moved to a new location.

The Williams construction firm, which holds the contract for construction of the Lincoln highway by-pass route around Fayetteville to connect with the Hempt Bros. project, reported today that most grading operations on its project have been completed and that it will begin laying concrete paving by August 26.

Complete Grading

Spokesmen for the J. L. Langenfelder & Son, Inc., firm, which holds a contract for construction of 7.49 miles of the new Lincoln highway from McKnightstown west, said today that the "great majority" of grading operations on its project is now completed.

The E. B. Williams firm, of Norfolk, Va., which has been awarded a sub-contract for paving on the Langenfelder project, is expected to begin paving operations sometime next week. Paving operations on the Langenfelder project will begin at McKnightstown and work toward the Piney Mountain inn terminus of the project.

MORE DEATHS, FEWER BABIES ARE REPORTED

Births have shown a decline while deaths have increased over the comparable period of last year for the first seven months of 1948, the records of Ralph Geiselman, local registrar of vital statistics, show.

So far this year, up to the beginning of August, there have been 395 births and 131 deaths. For the same period last year there were 412 births and 122 deaths.

Of the births so far this year 388, including 195 males and 193 females, occurred in Gettysburg. Three female births occurred in Cumberland township and three female births were recorded from Straban township. There was one birth, a male, in Highland township and no births in the other district for which Mr. Geiselman is registrar.

Provisional Report

Deaths have been recorded from all of the districts under his jurisdiction, including 53 male and 47 female deaths from Gettysburg; 14 male and six female from Cumberland township; two male and two female deaths in Straban; one male and one female in Freedom and two male and two female in Highland.

During July there were 63 births and 19 deaths. All of the births, 40 males and 23 females, were in Gettysburg. There were nine male and seven female deaths in Gettysburg, a male and a female death in Cumberland township and a female death in Straban township.

Geiselman said that all the figures are provisional due to the fact that occasionally reports of births or deaths in a particular month are not turned in to his office until the following month.

CORN BAKE IS HELD

A corn bake was held at the summer home of Miss Loraine L. Funt, near York Springs, Saturday night on her 17th birthday. Games were played and refreshments served.

Back to school dresses, Team-Charmers, sizes 10-12-14; Teena Page 7-15; cotton-wool, \$8.95. Modern Miss shop, 5 Chambersburg street.

Fine 3 For Using Uninspected Cars

Three motorists arrested by state police of the Gettysburg sub-station, paid fines for failing to have current inspection stickers on their automobiles.

H. W. Meckley, Hanover, and Thomas C. McSherry, Littlestown, were each fined \$2 and costs by Justice of the Peace Harry Nalle, Hanover, and J. Grover Thompson, York, paid a fine of \$2 and costs to Justice of the Peace James H. Brinton, Hanover R. 3.

Frank L. Seitz, York, was fined \$10 and costs by Squire Brinton for failing to have his automobile registered.

Charles E. Scott, Hellam, paid \$10 and costs to Justice of the Peace George Baker, Abbottstown, for failing to keep to the right side of the highway.

HAY RIDE AND CORN BAKE IS BEING PLANNED

The young and the young in heart were invited today by the Gettysburg Recreation association to take part in a hay ride and corn bake Friday evening.

Attempts are being made to have an old fashioned hay wagon with horses take the group on a ride under the hoped-for bright shining harvest moon.

If the horse and wagon idea fails the hayride will be made in a truck, well cushioned with straw.

The group, made up of those of high school age or older, will leave from the high school at 8:45 o'clock Friday evening. Sometime later, after a leisurely ride, the group will return to the high school where a huge fire will be lighted and corn will be roasted.

Accommodations Limited

Because the capacity of the vehicle will be limited, accommodations on the ride will be given on the "first come-first served" principle. Those who sign up for the trip first with the play supervisors at the various playgrounds, or call the recreation office, will be the ones who will make the trip. When the capacity of the truck or wagon is reached no further registrations will be accepted.

Due to the hayride the recreation center in the First National bank building will be closed Friday night. It will re-open Saturday night and be open every Friday and Saturday evening thereafter.

Shows Movies To Local Rotarians

Rev. Robert M. Hunt, pastor of the Presbyterian church, presented an illustrated talk on his recent trip to the state of Washington at a Ladies' night program held by the local Rotary club Monday evening at Mt. Joy Lutheran church.

Forty-three ladies, 47 Rotarians and three visiting Rotarians attended the session at which the president, Mares Sherman, presided. Vice President William Tyson introduced the speaker.

LIONS ADOPT RESOLUTIONS

The Gettysburg Lions club Monday evening adopted resolutions favoring statehood for Hawaii, Alaska and Puerto Rico.

Copies of the resolution passed at the meeting held at Sheffer's park will be forwarded to Congressman Chester H. Gross and Senators Myers and Martin, officers of the club said.

The resolutions had been adopted by the Lions International last month at its convention in New York city.

The local Lions also endorsed two additional resolutions passed at the International convention—one commending the United Nations for its accomplishments toward world peace, particularly the truces secured in the Palestine-Syrian war, and the other urging greater solidarity among the nations of the western hemisphere.

Reports on the International convention were presented by Attorney Donald M. Swope, Ralph Barley, D. E. Hess and the Rev. Charles Held, delegates and alternate delegates to the convention.

Seventy-four members attended with the president, D. E. Hess, presiding.

HOSPITAL REPORT

Patients admitted to the Warner hospital include Elmer Haner, Biglerville; Mrs. Wilson Greene, Littlestown; Mrs. Lloyd Wintrobe, Littlestown R. 1; James McDermitt, Fayetteville, and Mervin Topper, East Railroad street. Those discharged were Mrs. John Hayward and infant daughter, Jane Frances, Gettysburg R. 3; Mrs. Ralph Alwine, New Oxford and Mrs. George W. Green, Jr., Emmitsburg.

AGED RESIDENT OF GETTYSBURG DIES ON MONDAY

Mrs. Sarah M. Stallsmith, 95, widow of John A. Stallsmith, died at the Maxell convalescent home, York, Monday evening at 7:40 o'clock from infirmities of age. She had been a resident at the home for two and one-half years and prior to that resided in the Stallsmith building, center square.

Mrs. Stallsmith was born in Mt. Pleasant township and resided all of her life in the county. She was a daughter of the late Jeremiah and Lydia Ann (Harmon) Blair. During the Battle of Gettysburg she resided near the cavalry shaft in Mt. Pleasant township and remembered troops moving in for the battle. She recalled her family moving from their farm at that time. Her father died during the battle.

Funeral Thursday

She was a member of the Salem Evangelical United Brethren church. Her husband died 24 years ago.

Surviving are two children, P. W. Stallsmith and Mrs. Gertrude Reinicker, both of Gettysburg; five grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; two great-great-grandchildren; one brother, C. Irvin Blair, and one sister, Miss Rose Blair, both of Aspers.

Funeral services Thursday at 2 p.m. from the Bender funeral home conducted by the Rev. Harold V. March. Interment in Evergreen cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home Wednesday evening.

CHEST ADOPTS \$19,000 FOR LOCAL BUDGET

The Gettysburg community chest adopted a budget of \$19,000 Monday evening at a meeting of the executive committee at the fire engine house.

That amount will be distributed among seven local organizations including the Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, YWCA, library, Civic Nursing association, crippled children's society and the Gettysburg Recreation association.

There is definite need for the money sought by the organizations, the executive committee pointed out following the session. The budget set up for the coming year was "cut to the bone," the committee announced adding that the principal idea this year was to secure a budget which would permit the organizations to operate and yet at the same time could be secured during the first annual drive.

Want Successful Drive

"To shoot at too high a goal this year would mean a set-back that would probably destroy the idea of a community chest," a spokesman said, "We want this year's drive, the first community chest drive ever to be held here, to be more than successful so that the program may expand with the years and more and more organizations may become part of it."

Under the chest program the drive will be the only campaign for funds conducted by the organizations taking part. In previous years all seven of the organizations made separate solicitations for funds.

Table USO Request

A request from the USO for inclusion in the campaign was temporarily tabled by the committee due to the indefiniteness of the request. If the town's drive this year goes over the top, and if the USO makes a definite request for specific funds, the amount may be given.

The group voted to join the Community Chests and Councils, Inc. of New York city, the national organization of community chests which provides publicity, radio programs and the like on a national scale for the period during which all local community chests hold their fund raising campaigns.

Judge W. C. Sheely presided at the meeting.

Dr. Simpson Will Go To Westminster

Dr. Myron L. Simpson, assistant professor of biology at Gettysburg college, was today appointed head of the biology department of Westminster college, according to an Associated Press dispatch from New Wilmington, Pa.

Dr. Simpson obtained his A.B. degree at American college, and his degree of doctor of science at Johns Hopkins university, Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Sanders, Fairfield R. 1, today reported having raised a cabbage weighing 14 1/2 pounds with a circumference of 43 inches.

Weather Forecast

Wednesday considerable cloudiness with a few scattered showers and no change in temperature.

ATHLETICS AND INDIANS TAKE DOUBLEHEADERS

By JOE REICHLER
(By The Associated Press)

Lou Boudreau's mid-July prediction that his Cleveland Indians would win the American league pennant looks better than ever today.

Back home for a six-game stand against the lowly St. Louis Browns and Chicago White Sox, the Indians are in first place, a game and a half to the good over the Philadelphia Athletics. Two and a half in front of the Boston Red Sox and five ahead of the New York Yankees.

Cleveland's two Bobs — Feller and Lemon — yesterday hurled the Indians to a 6-2 and 8-0 sweep over the White Sox in Chicago.

In the opener Feller spaced 11 hits to rack up his 12th victory.

Lemon pitched one of his best games of the season in registering

his seventh shutout in the night-cap. He thus became the first pitcher in the majors to win 16 games. He permitted seven singles.

Manager Lou Boudreau played a big part in both victories. He collected seven hits in 10 times at bat, scored three times and drove in three runs. He handled 15 chances flawlessly at shortstop.

The Athletics rebounded from their two defeats at the hands of the Yankees by whipping the Bronxites twice at the stadium 5-3 and 5-3. The first game went 10 innings. The twin triumph enabled the A's to take over second place from the Red Sox who were held to a split by the Senators in Washington. After Washington won the opener 5-4, the Sox came back to win the night-cap 8-7.

Brooklyn Beats Braves

In the remaining American league game, the Detroit Tigers came up with two runs in the top of the ninth to break a 1-1 tie and defeat the St. Louis Browns, 3-1.

Brooklyn climbed back within three games of the National league leading Braves by defeating them in

Boston 4-2. The third place St. Louis Cardinals picked up a half game on the leaders, dividing a doubleheader with the Pirates, in Pittsburgh. They now trail Boston by three and a half games. The Cards won the opener 8-3, but lost the nightcap 5-4.

The Phillies set back the fifth place New York Giants twice, 8-1 and 7-5, to move within three games of their victims. Chicago and Cincinnati divided a doubleheader. The Cubs won the opener, 7-6 and the Reds copped the second game, 5-0.

Southpaw Kenny Heintzelman of the Phils missed a no-hitter when Whitey Lockman tripled in the 7th for the Giants' only hit in the opener.

The largest Yankee stadium crowd of the year, 72,468, saw Joe DiMaggio hammer his 26th home run with one on in the last of the ninth to enable the Yankees to overcome a 2-0 deficit in the opener. The A's however, came roaring back with three runs off Ed Lopat in the 10th to put the Athletics in front again. DiMaggio tripled in another Yankee run in the last of the 10th, but Lou Bristie replaced winning pitcher Carl Scheib and retired Larry Berra for the third out. Mike Guerra's bases-loaded triple was the big blow for the A's in the nightcap.

Williams Gets 20th

The Red Sox almost pulled their first game out of the fire, scoring three runs in the ninth to fall one short. Ted Williams bashed his 20th home run in that frame with one on off Forrest Thompson who had replaced winning pitcher Rae Scarborough. Stan Spence's home run with two on in the fifth proved the winning blow in the second game slugfest.

Freddy Hutchinson gained his ninth victory for the Tigers when hits by Dick Wakefield, Hal Wagner, Eddie Mayo and himself shoved across two runs off Cliff Fanning in

27 RESIDENTS

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Ishioners to attend the picnic at St. Mary's of the Immaculate Conception church, Fairfield, next Saturday. The Rev. Vincent J. Topper is pastor. It was announced at the masses that the parochial school will open this year on September 1.

The Misses Brenda Walker, Doris Renner and Margaret Stonelifer, all members of the 1948 graduating class of Littlestown high school, began their training as student nurses today at the church home and hospital, Baltimore. They were accompanied to Baltimore yesterday by Miss Walker's mother, Mrs. Hamilton C. Walker, Lumber street; by Miss Renner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Renner, daughter Shirley, Prince street and also their daughter, Mrs. Wildrick Newman, York; and by Miss Stonelifer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stonelifer, East King street extended.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Shaffer, Reisterstown, were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald W. Feaser, Lumber street.

Miss Joyce Parr and Miss Anna Burk returned home after spending the past week in Wildwood, N. J., and Philadelphia with Miss Burk's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Boose. Mr. and Mrs. Boose returned from a 4,500 mile trip to points of interest in Florida and the other southern states last week and after visiting in town, they took Miss Parr and Miss Burk to Philadelphia with them.

Leslie Beck, Washington, D. C., spent the week-end with his parents, the Rev. and Mrs. Samuel W. Beck, East King street.

Picnic Well Attended

The annual picnic held by the Sunday school of St. Luke's church, along the Littlestown-Bonneauville road, on Saturday, was pronounced very successful, with approximately 570 fried chicken and ham suppers being served. The Knights of Pythias Band of Hanover furnished the entertainment.

The August meeting of the

Two Upsets Mark Baseball Tourney

Wichita, Kas., Aug. 16 (AP)—The National semi-pro baseball tournament moved into the third day of competition today with all 32 teams still in the running.

Two teams, however, were eliminated by nightfall.

Five games were scheduled, two in the afternoon and three at night.

Two upsets marked yesterday's play. Glen Ridge, N. J., beat the Enid, Okla., Cardinals who represent a city that has won four national titles, 9-5, and Fort Benning, Ga., defeated the Alpine, Tex., cowboys, one of last year's top teams, 3-1.

In other games Staunton, Va., Presidents edged Maxwell Field, Ala., 6-5, and the Fredericksburg, Pa., Chix trounced the Reno, Nev., Harrah's club, 6-3.

the ninth. It was Fanning's ninth loss against eight wins.

Ralph Branca held the Braves to seven hits in seven innings before yielding the Dodge pitching chores to Paul Minner and Hank Behrman. Ed (Duke) Snider put Branca in front in the first inning with a two-run homer and he never was headed.

Ted Wilks, making his first start in two years for the Cards, scattered seven Pirate hits in winning the opener. The Pirates won the second game on Ralph Kiner's 30th home run which came in the fifth inning.

PUBLIC SALE

SATURDAY, AUGUST 28, 1948
12 O'CLOCK, D.S.T.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Shriver, daughter Anne and son Clair, Bethesda, spent the week-end with Mr. Shriver's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Shriver, West King street, and with Mrs. Shriver's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Basehoar, East King street. Mr. Shriver also attended the Shriver reunion held at Benner Grove, near Barlow.

The annual picnic held by the Sunday school of St. John's Lutheran church will take place on Saturday in the church grove. Ham and chicken suppers will be served beginning at 4 o'clock, and there will be refreshments of all kinds on sale. Music will be furnished by the Littlestown high school band.

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Nine-ft. Frigidaire; Happy Cooking bottle gas range; 3 bureaus with mirrors; bed springs; mattresses; wash stand; corner cupboard; 2 metal cupboards; round extension table; dining room suite; chairs; Chickering piano; chest wardrobe; 2 rugs 9x12; 1 rug 8x10; quilting frame; large mirror; dishes; jars; crocks; ice cream freezer; Conlon electric washing machine; in good condition; tools; chicken feeders and fountains; 32-ft. extension ladder; grindstone; 14-in. lawn mower; 2 snow cases; 2 chicken crates; bushel crates; small lot of new lumber, 2x4's and boards.

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TEXAS LUNCH IS 9-4 VICTOR IN PLAYOFF TILT; ELKS PROTEST

Although the Texas Lunch scored a 9-4 victory over the Elks in the deciding game of their three-game series Monday evening on the high school field, the Community Softball league title series with the State Highway has been delayed due to a protest lodged by the Elks.

President Johnny Knox has called a special meeting of all team managers for this evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Moose home to decide on the protest.

Monday's tilt, played before one of the largest crowds of the season, was hotly contested and following the tilt tempers flared with the protest being lodged, and several would-be skirmishes quickly quelled.

The protest was lodged by the Elks on the basis that the regularly scheduled umpire was replaced by another college student.

Ogden, Herr Homer
Bill Ogden's homer in the last of the sixth with the bases loaded clinched the contest for the lunchmen.

The Elks got off to a fast start in the opening frame when Ross Sachs singled and Rogers Herr poked a homerun to deep center.

In the last of the inning Heintzelman beat out a bunt, stole second base and scored on Fidler's safety.

The lunchmen pushed over three runs in the second to take the lead. With two out, Raffensperger walked. Bartholomew doubled to left, scoring Raffensperger. Heintzelman singled to score Bartholomew and Ogden doubled to right sending Heintzelman over.

The Elks knotted the score in the fourth. Dreas and Rupp opened with walks and the former scored when Bartholomew threw wild to first on Luther Sachs' bunt. Rupp going to third and Sachs to second. McClellan skied to Shoop whose throw to the plate nailed Rupp. Rodgers singled to score Sachs.

Larkin opened the hectic sixth with a single. Shoop was safe on an infield error. Altland singled and Larkin tallied Raffensperger singled and Shoop was nipped at the plate on McClellan's throw. Altland was trapped between second and third and when he dived back to second and was called safe a storm of protest arose from the Elks. Bartholomew was safe on an infield hit to load the bases. Ogden then followed with his long homerun to right to sew up the decision.

Texas Lunch
Heintzelman, ss 4 2 2 0 3 0
Ogden, 1b 4 1 3 11 0 0
Boehner, c 4 0 0 2 1 0
Fidler, cf 3 0 1 3 0 0
Larkin, rf 3 1 1 0 0 0
Shoop, lf 3 0 0 2 1 0
Altland, 3b 3 1 1 0 2 0
Raff, 2b 2 2 1 3 3 0
Bartholomew, p 3 2 2 0 2 1

Elks
G. Bushman, 2b 4 0 0 0 1 0
R. Sachs, p 2 1 1 0 0 0
B. Bushman, cf 3 0 0 2 0 0
Herr, 3b 3 1 1 1 2 1
Dreas, c 1 1 1 5 0 0
Rupp, 1b 2 0 0 8 0 0
L. Sachs, rf 3 1 0 1 0 0
McClellan, lf 3 0 0 0 1 0
Rodgers, ss 3 0 1 1 3 0

Totals 29 9 11 21 12 1
Home runs, Ogden, Herr. Two base hits, Ogden, Bartholomew. Struck out by Bartholomew 1, by Sachs 2. Bases on balls, off Bartholomew 3. Sachs 1. Umpires, Roff, Carruzzi. Sacrifice hits, R. Sachs.

BOX SCORE
Wakefield 3 0 2 1 4 2
Spencer, cf 4 0 1 1 0 0
H. Baust, ss 4 0 1 1 1 1
J. Koonitz, p 4 0 0 0 0 0
Obrecht, 3b 4 1 2 1 3 0
R. Baust, lf 4 0 0 2 0 0
Deardorff, rf 3 0 0 3 0 0
C. Fritz, c 4 0 1 6 0 0
Sauble, 1b 4 1 1 12 0 0
Strine 1 0 0 0 0 0

Totals 35 2 8 27 17 4
Home run, Sauble 1; two base hits, Obrecht, Fritz, Paulskovich; stolen bases, Spencer, Baust, Fritz, Sits, Rosensteel, Warthen; earned runs, 5; sacrifice hits, Wetzell and Warthen; double plays, 0; left on bases, Emmitsburg 5, Wakefield 7; hits off Rothe 8, off Koonitz 6; struck out by Rothe 7; Koonitz 5; bases on balls, off Rothe 1; umpire, Markle; time of game, 1:45.

To make a tomato rose for a salad remove the skin and core, cut upper half in eighths and separate. Fill center with hard-cooked egg salad and garnish with mayonnaise and finely chopped green pepper or parsley.

Score by innings:
Wakefield 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 0-2
Emmitsburg 0 0 0 2 0 1 0 0-3
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Eastern League
(By The Associated Press)
The Williamsport Tigers have the Indian sign on Hartford's Chiefs. The Tigers, whose record against other clubs in the eastern league has not been good, upset the Chiefs twice last night, 5-2 and 9-0, for their sixth straight victory over the Indians. The Bengals haven't lost a game at Hartford this season. On other fronts, a ninth-inning wild pitch gave the Utica Blue Sox a 1-0 victory over the Scranton Miners, the Albany Senators took both ends of a double bill from the Elmira Pioneers at Albany, 4-3 and 15-5, and the Wilkes-Barre Barons beat the Triplets at Binghamton, 4-2.

Game To Decide Best Formation

Evanston, Ill., Aug. 17 (AP)—Still a moot question among themselves, the college all-stars will let the Chicago Cardinals decide Friday night whether the T-formation or single wingback attack is hardest to stop when properly engineered.

The all-stars zigged and zagged all over Dwyer stadium Saturday in an intra-squad game testing the two systems. Although the T-formation squad edged the single wingbacks, 33-28, you wouldn't bet on the same outcome two-out-of-three. Both attacks will be used against the Cardinals.

Tackle Johnny Nolan of Penn State suffered a head injury, guard Buckey O'Connor of Notre Dame was banged in the ribs, back Jug Girard of Wisconsin had a buckled knee, and Conerly was lame after Saturday's bruising contest.

But all were expected at today's drills.

Sports Roundup

By JOSEPH E. KELLEY

Boston, Aug. 17 (AP)—The Czechoslovakian tennis player who will oppose the Australians in a Davis Cup interzone final at Longwood Cricket club this week are a bit disturbed about the grass courts.

"We have one week to get used to grass," says Jaroslav Drobny, "we need two months."

"The only time we play on grass is at Wimbledon, once a year."

Nods of agreement came from the great Czech athlete's partner, Vladimir Cernik and their coach, Karel Kozeluh.

There seemed to be something in what they said because in a practice match the Europeans easily defeated Jack Lynch, a Massachusetts champion, and Dirk Sorlien, erstwhile Harvard player, 6-2, 6-2, but had difficulty returning service and making ground strokes on the grass surface.

OH, YOO HOO MISTER MACK
Since joining the Braves after drawing his release from the Philadelphia Athletics Nelson Potter has won three and lost two for Boston's National league leading Braves. In so doing, the veteran right hander has made 12 appearances for the Tribe. He has struck out 41 batters been touched for 62 hits and walked only five in 68 2/3 innings.

EAGLES VS. TERRIERS
Boston college, whose Eagles have appeared in several football bowls, have had the Friday night schedule to themselves hereabouts the last two seasons. They will receive competition on at least one occasion this fall from Boston university's Terriers, now guided by Buff Donelli. BU will entertain Colgate at Fenway Park (home of the Red Sox) Oct. 8, the same night that BC will be host to St. Bonaventure at Braves Field—unless the Braves need the park for the world series.

Al Dark, soft spoken Louisianan who is playing a lot of shortstop for the Braves, rapidly is forging to the front as "rookie of the year" in the National league. If he should make it, and his only serious contention seems to be from the Phil's Richie Ashburn whose bat has been quieted somewhat, Dark would achieve the distinction after only two years of pro baseball. Now hitting .333 with 117 hits in 351 times at bat, Dark joined the Braves at the tail end of the 1946 season and made a western trip with them. Last year he was a star with Milwaukee in the American association. He has grounded into but two double plays all season.

1,221 Seek Berths In National Amateur
New York, Aug. 17 (AP)—A record field of 1,221 will try for berths today and tomorrow in the last major golf championship of the year—the national amateur—opening at the Memphis Country club Aug. 30. The chopping-down process will take place at 33 regional qualifying centers at Denver today, at the other 32 spots tomorrow.

These 36-hole trials will cut the field to 201 players, who will join nine exempt U. S. and British amateur title winners in the "sudden death" eliminations Aug. 30 through Sept. 4.

Heading the cast will be Robert (Skeet) Riegel, the 33-year-old hefty of Upper Darby, Pa., who conquered Johnny Dawson for the championship at California's Pebble Beach course last year.

Sectional centers and the number of places allotted them include: Philadelphia, 6; Pittsburgh, 3.

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DODGERS BEAT BRAVES 6 TO 2; REDS TRIM BUCS

By RALPH RODEN

Associated Press Sports Writer

The best shortstop in baseball? Pee Wee Reese, "natch." Boudreau, Marion, Rizzuto? "Never hold of dem bums." That's the sentiment of followers of the Brooklyn Dodgers today.

The popular shortstop played a leading role in the Dodgers' 6-2 triumph over the Boston Braves in Boston last night, starting a four run rally with a triple and handling eight chances afield flawlessly.

The triumph cut the Braves' lead to two games over the runner-up Brooks and also enabled the Dodgers to take the vital five game series, three games to two.

Cards Beat Cubs

Southpaw Joe Hatten, beaten by Warren Spahn in the series opener Thursday night, went the route for the Dodgers, scattering nine hits. Spahn started for Boston but was lifted for a pinch-hitter in the seventh. Clyde Shoun and Vern Bickford also saw action for the Braves in the eighth inning.

The third place St. Louis Cardinals also gained ground on the Braves, moving to within two and a half games of Billy Southworth's crew as a result of their 9-7 conquest of the Cubs in a day game at Chicago.

Stan Musial paced the Cards' 14-hit assault against five Chicago pitchers with his 29th homer, a double and two singles. Del Rice and Ery Udask also belted round-trippers for the Red Birds.

Reds Down Pirates
Howie Pollet started for the Cards but was pounded from the hill in the third inning when the Cubs scored four runs to take a 5-3 lead.

The Cards bounced back and grabbed the lead with four markers in the fourth and were never headed. Gerry Staley, Ken Johnson and Ted Wilks followed Pollet to the hill, with Johnson gaining credit for the victory.

In the only other game played in either circuit the Cincinnati Reds downed the Pirates, 5-2, at Pittsburgh last night.

Lefty Johnny Vander Meer went the route for the Reds, yielding five hits, including homers by losing pitcher Hal Gregg and Wally Westlake.

SIGN WALCOTT AND LESNEVICH FOR SEPT. 21

By MURRAY ROSE

New York, Aug. 17 (AP)—The tournament of champions has signed Jersey Joe Walcott and Gus Lesnevich to meet Sept. 21—a bold move that might give the fledgling promotional group control of the next heavyweight champion.

Jersey Joe and the ex-light heavyweight king will tangle on the same card with the Tony Zale-Marc Cerdan title tilt in Jersey City's Roosevelt stadium.

To get Walcott and Lesnevich to take part in the big fist double-header, the T. of C. guaranteed each \$50,000. At first sight it looks like a costly maneuver since Zale, the middleweight champ, has been guaranteed \$120,000 and Cerdan, \$50,000.

But with the extra hundred grand, Promoter Andy Niederreiter, who runs the T. of C., got an "exclusive" agreement yesterday from both that the winner will make his next start for the T. of C.

Control Two Fighters
Thus, Niederreiter's group gained control of at least two of the four top contenders for the crown Joe Louis plans to doff. Briton's Freddie Mills, off his victory over Lesnevich, and Cincinnati's Ezzard Charles also figure.

Meanwhile, the rival 20th century sporting club is going ahead with plans for its own show at Yankee stadium, Sept. 22. Sol Strauss, acting director of the 20th, has a lightweight title fight between Champion Ike Williams and Jess Flores all signed up. He's about ready to close for a non-title bout between welterweight King Ray Robinson and Kid Gavilan, the Cuban clouter, for the same program.

Demaret Captures \$2,450 St. Paul Open
St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 17 (AP)—It takes experience and coolness under pressure to win golf tournaments, the professionals will tell you.

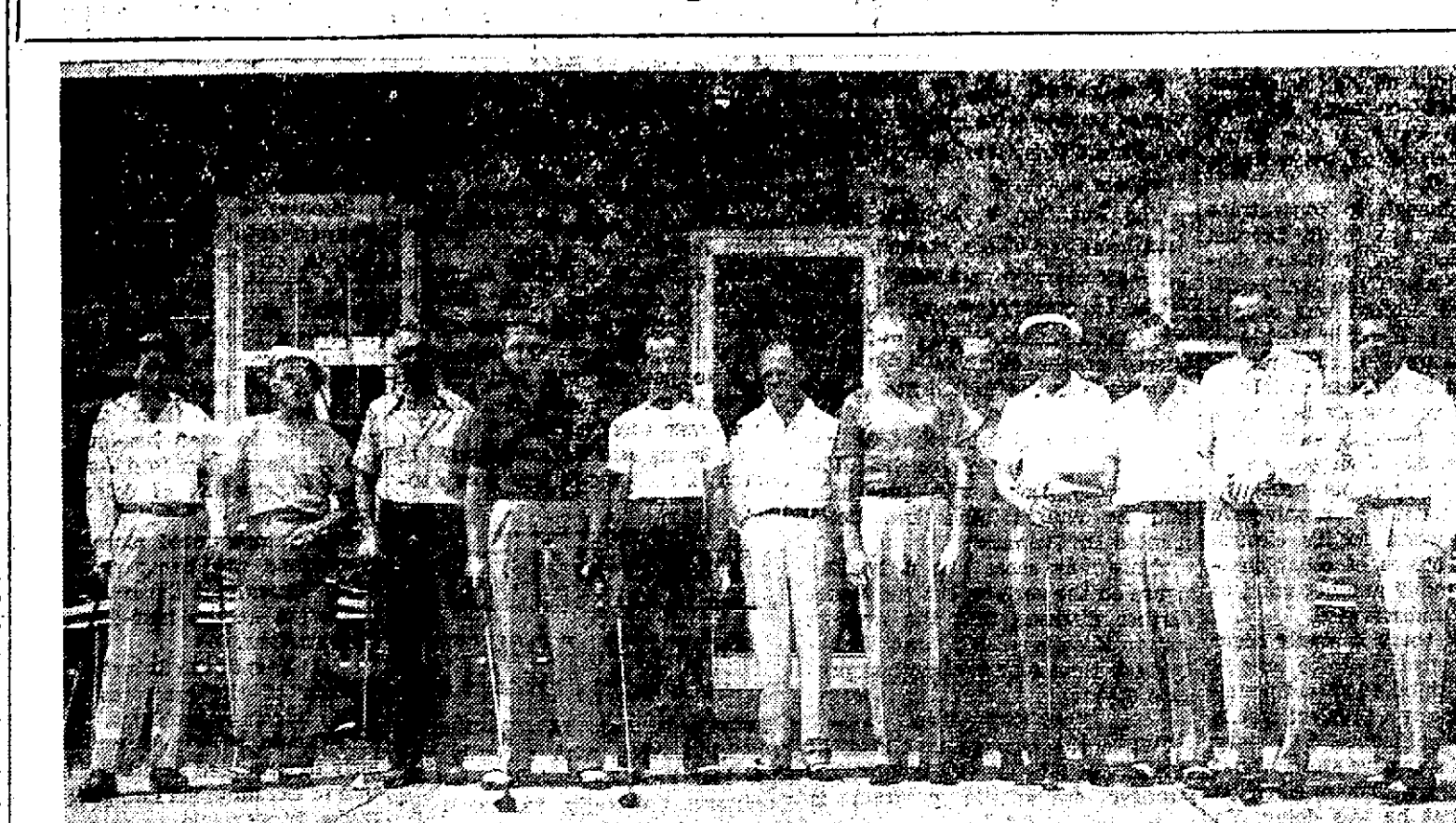
And Otto Greiner, the comparatively youthful Baltimore pro, is the first to cheerfully concede that Jimmy Demaret has what it takes. Greiner, who lost by two strokes yesterday to Demaret in the playoff for first prize money of \$2,450 in the St. Paul open, puts it this way:

"That Demaret—he's a dandy. He knew just what was going to happen all the way. Oh well, I tried anyway. And that second money of \$1,750 still looks good to me. I'd just as soon do that every time."

Greiner and Demaret were forced into the playoff after they tied Sunday with 73s in 72 holes of play.

Demaret ended the playoff with a four-under-par 68, while Greiner, who has been a pro for only 15

Golf Pros And Swimming Stars At Opening Of Country Club



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In rare cases, hens turn into roosters when they grow old.

Anderson Takes Public Parks Title

Los Angeles, Aug. 17 (AP)—Two veteran campaigners today hold the singles trophies of the 22nd annual national public parks tennis championships.

They are Willis Anderson, 35-year-old Los Angeles postal clerk, who last won the cup seven years ago,

SECRECY VEILS MOSCOW TALKS ON "BLOCKADE"

Moscow, Aug. 11 (AP).—Observers are as much in the dark as ever today about results of the latest talks between western power envoys and Soviet Foreign Minister Molotov. Some believe the length of last night's session indicated the conference was getting down to concrete problems.

(A London informant said yesterday that Molotov was to give Russia's reply to western proposals for settlement of the Berlin deadlock at the meeting. He said the talk "might possibly be the climax" of the 18-day negotiations.)

(In Frankfurt, U. S. Military Governor Gen. Lucius D. Clay said he expected the western powers to stick to their plans for Germany. He indicated to newsmen the west will continue going ahead with plans for a west German government.)

Sixth Session
Yesterday's conference was the sixth with Molotov. It was the longest since the negotiations began lasting three hours and 40 minutes. None of the western envoys would comment as they left the Kremlin in a drizzling rain last night.

U. S. Ambassador Walter Bedell Smith and French Ambassador Yves Chateaugueau went immediately to the British embassy with Britain's Special Envoy Frank Roberts. They conferred for an hour and 15 minutes and then dispersed, presumably to work separately on reports to their home governments.

Experienced observers in the Soviet capital said, judging from the length of the conference with Molotov and the unexpectedly long parley at the British embassy, that the four power representatives still have plenty to talk about.

There has been no official indication as to how the talks are going.

Property Transfers

Dwight Trostle, as executor of the will of Latimore E. Trostle, late of East Berlin, sold to H. M. and Carrell Hankey, Dover township, York county, for \$5,075, a property in East Berlin.

Richard D. Gilbert, Arendtsville, sold to Clyde R. and Isabelle M. Sell, Menalton township, for \$1,200, a property in Arendtsville.

George T. Raffensperger, Gettysburg, as executor of the will of Fannie L. Caldwell, late of Gettysburg, has sold to Carl C. and Vergie E. Slaybaugh, Aspers, for \$15,000, a property on Chambersburg street.

Lawrence D. and Esther Cruze, Cumberland township, sold to John C. and Mary F. Hartman, same place, for \$2,500, a 10-acre property in that township.

Harry P. and Hilda Garretson, Menalton township, sold to Donald F. Garretson, same place, for \$4,050, a 24-acre property in that township.

Edward A. and Rosa B. Scott, Gettysburg, sold to E. Donald and Margaret E. Scott, Gettysburg, an 11-acre property in Highland township for \$150 and a 37-acre property in the same township for \$800.

Edward Johnson, Williamsport, sold to Edith Holcomb, Tyrone township, for \$3,300, a property in New Chester.

Hettie S. Luan, Franklin township, sold to George W. and Mildred J. Glenn, Freedom township, for \$8,000, a property in Franklin township.

Henry M. Wagner, Highland township, sold to Margaret C. Wagner, Baltimore, for \$1, a 160-acre property in Highland township.

Roy C. and Leila M. Wolf, Cumberland township, sold to Richard E. and Margaret S. Doersom, same place, for \$260, a lot in that township.

E. Donald and Margaret E. Scott, Gettysburg, sold to John and Esther A. Sponseller, Cumberland township, for \$125, a three acre property in Cumberland township.

David C. and Dora F. Purkey, Manchester R. 1, Md., sold to James H. Eck, Mt. Pleasant township, for \$6,500, a four acre property in Mt. Joy township.

Emory J. and Nelbe P. Bishop, Cumberland township, sold to Catherine May Stusser, Granite City, Ill., for \$1, a 15 acre property in Cumberland township.

Two Couples Get Licenses To Marry

Marriage licenses were issued at the court house today to the following couples:

Edward Harold Carbaugh, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold B. Carbaugh, 71 Steinwehr avenue, and Treva Ruth Benner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Benner, 114 East Middle street.

Edward John Windisch, Baltimore, and Geraldine Myra Eyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Darwin Eyer, Biglerville.

AT HEATING SCHOOL
Perrell J. Reck, Hanover, is attending a heating engineers school at Kalamazoo, Mich., conducted by the engineering staff of the Kalamazoo Stove and Furnace company. Mr. Reck is connected with the Kalamazoo appliance and heating staff in Hanover.

STATE POLICE SAY
Except for special type vehicles, the height of any vehicle being operated on a public highway is limited to 174 inches (14 feet, 5 inches), and in the installation.

Social Happenings

Phone Gettysburg 840 or Biglerville 8

Mr. and Mrs. James Bernheisel, Philadelphia, spent the week-end at the cottage of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Dougherty, Marsh Creek Heights. Sunday dinner guests of the Doughertys included Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Mehring and Mr. and Mrs. Voss, all of York, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ruhl and daughter, of Harrisburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Golden and son, Jason, Lincolnway west, and Mrs. Golden's mother, Mrs. Laura Orner, Arendtsville, have returned from a vacation spent with Mrs. Orner's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Slaybaugh, Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde D. Berger, Carlisle street, left this afternoon for Denver, Colo., where they will attend the graduation exercises at the University of Colorado at which their son, Joseph, will receive his degree from the commercial art school. Accompanied by their son, they will go from Denver on a trip to the Yellowstone National park, Black Hills of South Dakota and across Canada to Maine returning via the New England states. They expect to return within six weeks.

McCreia Dickson, West Broadway, has returned from a visit of several days with friends in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Harry Plummer entertained the members of the Monday Afternoon Bridge club this week at her home at Knoxlyn. The club will meet next week with Mrs. Robert E. Lee, Chambersburg street.

Mrs. John D. Keith, Carlisle street, has returned from a visit with the Rev. and Mrs. John B. Dickson, Tampa, Fla., at their summer home at Haven Beach on the Gulf of Mexico. Mrs. J. Allen Dickson, who accompanied her on the trip, is remaining with her son and daughter-in-law for some time.

Mrs. George A. Albee entertained the members of the Needlepoint club Monday evening at her home at Seven Stars. The club will meet next week at the home of Mrs. Robert Weaver, Seminary ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Snyder, West Stevens street, have returned from a visit with relatives in Indiana, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Morris, Punxsutawney, spent Monday with Mrs. Morris' sister, Miss Anna Gililand, Carlisle street.

Miss Martha Dickson, Knoxlyn, and Miss Elizabeth Evans, West Lincoln avenue, spent Sunday in Chambersburg as guests of Dr. and Mrs. James A. Dickson.

Miss Ruth Moser, Washington, D. C., is a guest of Mrs. J. T. Ruddle, Carlisle street.

Gen. and Mrs. M. Clay Stayer, Carlisle, were Sunday guests of Mrs. John D. Keith, Carlisle street.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard E. Maring and son, Jeffrey Howard, of Cleveland, Ohio, are visiting at the homes of their uncle and aunt, H. T. Maring, Baltimore street, and Mrs. C. I. Snyder, Hanover street. Recently Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Maring, Cleveland, who had toured the New England states and Canada, visited the former's brother and sister, Mr. Maring and Mrs. Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. William I. Shields and daughter, Nancy, North Washington street, have gone to Altoona for a week's vacation. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. William W. Shields and children, Harrisburg road, who will return here this evening.

The Blue and Gray band will hold its regular rehearsal Thursday evening at the engine house in preparation for its next concert to be given at St. Mary's grove, Fairfield, on Saturday.

J. H. Alexander and daughter, Miss Lydia Alexander, who have been making their home with Mr. Alexander's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred K. Schwartz, Carlisle street, have gone to Baltimore, where they will make their home with his granddaughter, Miss Lenore Schwartz.

The Bandar Log club will meet Friday evening, August 27, at the home of Mrs. Raymond Sheely, West Lincoln avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Dry and daughter, of South Williamsport, are visiting friends here. Mr. Dry, a former Gettysburg high school coach, is now an assistant coach at South Williamsport high school.

ENTERTAIN AG. TEACHERS
Thirty vocational agriculture and veterans agriculture teachers from Bradford county today were entertained at a luncheon at Banker's restaurant by the Adams county supervisor of agricultural education, Richard C. Lighter. The men are on their way to Belleville to study the U. S. Department of Agriculture experimental farms there.

INSTALL METERS
Borough workers today began the installation of 41 new parking meters on the second block of York street. A representative of the Miller Meter company was present to assist in the installation.

Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Plattenburg, Arendtsville, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Kathleen Plattenburg, to Clair Richard Hartman, of Caghtown.

Miss Plattenburg was graduated from Gettysburg high school with the class of 1946. Mr. Hartman was graduated from John Harris high school, Harrisburg, class of 1943, served for two and one-half years with the air corps and is now employed at Letterkenny. No date has been set for the wedding.

Weddings

Flinchbaugh-Smith

Miss Wanda Kay Smith, Red Lion, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Smith, became the bride of Richard Glatfelter Flinchbaugh, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Stine, Dallas town, in a single ring wedding ceremony solemnized at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon in Bethany Evangelical United Brethren church, Red Lion.

Rev. Vinton G. McClellan, York, officiated, assisted by Rev. Dr. J. Stewart Glen, pastor of Bethany church.

The bride graduated from Red Lion high school in 1938 and also from the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, in 1943. For the past five and one-half years, she has been teaching physical education and English at the West Philadelphia senior high school.

Mr. Flinchbaugh graduated from Dallastown high school, class of 1937, and Gettysburg college, class of 1941, with a bachelor of science degree. He served four and one-half years in the Army Air corps and is presently the manager of the W. F. Glatfelter Furniture store, Dallas town.

Reiff-Hoke

Miss Janet Elizabeth Hoke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Hoke, York, became the bride of Richard Burger Reiff, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Reiff, of Manchester, on Saturday at 7 p. m.

The double ring ceremony was performed in First Presbyterian church, York, by Rev. Dr. T. S. Dickson, pastor of First Presbyterian church, and Rev. William A. Janson, Jr., of Lorettsville, Va.

A reception was held at Lincoln Woods inn following the ceremony. Upon their return from a wedding trip to the New England states, Mr. and Mrs. Reiff will reside temporarily at the home of the bride.

A graduate of Susquehanna university, the bride is a business teacher at West York high school. She formerly taught at Biglerville. Reiff was graduated from Kutztown Teachers' college. He is art instructor at West York high school.

Among those who attended the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil R. Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Diehl, Biglerville, and Miss Virginia Troxell, Gettysburg.

DEATHS

Mrs. Ida Jane Bender, 79, wife of the late William M. O. Bender, Hanover, died Friday evening at 8:50 o'clock at her home.

A daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Riggs, Mrs. Bender was a member of St. Mark's Lutheran church.

The following survive: Two children, Mrs. John Kuntz and Richard A. Bender, both of Hanover; and eight grandchildren, 11 great grandchildren and one half sister, Mrs. Fannie Overholzer, Gettysburg.

Funeral services were held at 9:30 a. m., Monday at William A. Fesser funeral home, Hanover. Her pastor, Rev. Dr. John S. Tome, officiated. Interment in Mt. Olivet cemetery.

Mrs. Ralph L. Sheely

Mrs. Emma M. Sheely, wife of Ralph L. Sheely, died at 4 p. m. Monday at her home in York. She had been ill about four weeks.

Besides her husband, she is survived by a sister and two brothers, Mrs. Harry Sheely and Samuel H. Dickey, both of York, and Charles Dickey, East Berlin.

Funeral services at 10 a. m., Thursday at the Memorial Funeral home of Henry Steeger and Sons, 823 East Market street, York. Burial in Prospect Hill cemetery.

Mrs. J. L. Nester

Mrs. Ida Mae Nester, 68, wife of J. L. Nester, Emmitsburg, died at her home this morning at 2:15 o'clock. She had been in declining health since April.

Mrs. Nester was born in Washington county, Va., but was a resident of Emmitsburg nearly all of her life. She was a daughter of the late Daniel and Mary (Riley) Minnick. The deceased was a member of the Emmitsburg Presbyterian church in which she was very active. She was president of the Missionary society, superintendent of the Sunday school and taught the Adult Bible class.

In addition to her husband she is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Thomas A. Epperson, Emmitsburg, and one sister, Miss Rosa Minnick, Abingdon, Va.

Funeral services Thursday at 10:45 a. m. from the late home with further services from the Emmitsburg Presbyterian church, the Rev. Charles S. Owen, pastor. Interment in Mountview cemetery, Emmitsburg. Friends may call at the late home Wednesday from 7 to 9 p. m.

SAYS REDS HAVE ROCKET GUNS AT ZONE FRONTIER

Berlin, Aug. 17 (AP).—The British-licensed newspaper *Telegraf* said today the Russians have sealed off an area along the Soviet-British border near the city of Salzwedel and erected rocket guns there. The report has not been confirmed by any other source.

Some observers thought the report might refer to Soviet army summer maneuvers near the zonal frontiers. A report from Hamburg yesterday quoted German border police in the British zone as saying these maneuvers were nearly over.

The *Telegraf* previously claimed to have learned from German witnesses that the Russians were digging trenches and "building a security border" on their zonal frontiers.

Says Marshal Ousted

And rumors were revived that Marshal Vasily D. Sokolovsky, Russian commander in Germany, has been suspended.

The liberal democratic newspaper *Montags Echo* said last night Sokolovsky eventually would be replaced by Marshal Konstantin Rokossovsky. It said the latter had been given the task of converting the Soviet-sponsored German Socialist Unity party (SED) from a mass party into a cadre group with the aim of "gaining power by legal or illegal means in Germany."

Previously the Soviet-controlled press has sought to deny persistent reports about Sokolovsky's recall by claiming he was "busy with projects for Germany's reconstruction."

Red Food Shortages

More evidence came from the Soviet zone that the Russians are requisitioning foodstuffs from Eastern Germany to make good their promise to feed all Berlin. The Western press said the measures are causing Soviet food shortages.

The Western sectors had food troubles of their own.

In Hof yesterday a crowd of 10,000 workers and housewives, protesting against high fruit and vegetable prices, shouted "hang the profiteers."

The demonstrators called out by a Bavarian workers' union, roared their approval of a resolution calling for a buyers' strike.

ST. MARY'S BOYS PRAY FOR BABE

Baltimore, Aug. 17 (AP).—About 50 sleep-eyed boys at the St. Mary's industrial school were urged this morning "to remember the soul of Babe Ruth, who died last night, and who at one time sat in these same benches."

Brother Charles, superintendent of the Xavierian school where the Babe spent nine years, thus informed the boys of the death of the institution's legendary "graduate."

The boys gathered in chapel to attend a mass for the "incurable" kid who became a baseball immortal.

Three of the brothers still remember when the Bambino was in school. Brother Herbert, in his 38th year on the faculty, recalls he was a "sweet kid," working in the shirt factory.

"Best of all, I remember when he used to catch. He was left handed, of course, and we had only a right handed catcher's mitt. He had to wear that, and when some boy tried to steal second he had to throw off the mitt and make the peg with his left hand. He was good, too, and not many of them stole."

"He was rough and ready, all right, but I can't remember any unusual mischief he got into. I'll say one thing, if you ever caught him at a thing once that was the last time."

Brother Albert remembered that Babe was confirmed by Cardinal Gibbons in the same chapel in which the boys prayed for him today.

HOSPITAL REPORT

Admissions to the Warner hospital include Mrs. Fred Lewis, Arendtsville; Mrs. Mervin Kennedy, York Springs; Laura Lady, 21 Steinwehr avenue; Mrs. William Lingg, Emmitsburg; Mrs. Edward Allhoff, 21 Fourth street; Martin Conover, Taneytown; Mrs. John Gallagher, Orrtanna R. 1, and Mrs. Daniel Trimmer, York Springs. Those discharged were Mrs. Raymond Stock, Hanover; Mrs. Henry Storm and infant son, Harold Francis, Littlestown; David Erb, Littlestown; Mrs. Ivan Reaver and infant daughter, Darlene Ramona, Taneytown; Mrs. Harry Meals and infant son, Stanley Tyrone, Gardners R. 2; Esther Larue, York Springs; William Overlies, Harrisburg, and Franklin R. Bigham, 20 West Broadway.

BALL GAME TONIGHT

A Gettysburg playground team, composed of boys 16 years of age and under, will play a baseball team from the Hanover Recreation league tonight at 6:30 o'clock at the high school field. The Hanover team will be in charge of S. W. Rightmire. The local team will be directed by Paul Whitman, recreational director.

Mr. and Mrs. John Eckert and daughter, Nancy, of Biglerville, spent Sunday in Harrisburg as guests of Mr. Eckert's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Eckert.

Mrs. Emma Harper, Miss Sue Harper, Mrs. Roy Tate, and daughter, Nancy, of Arendtsville, and Mrs. Harper's sister, and daughter, Mrs. J. E. Haslacker, of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. W. S. Piquet, of Richmond, Ind., attended the wedding of Mrs. Harper's grand niece, Miss Jacqueline Kay Baer, and Dr. Leroy

Upper Communities

The Arendtsville Intermediate Girl Scout troop wiener roast which was to have been held at Caledonia Wednesday evening has been indefinitely postponed due to lack of transportation. A regular meeting of the troop will be held next Monday evening in the fire engine house.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wetzel and daughter, Pamela, Heidelsburg road, have returned from a vacation spent at Ocean City, Md., and Rehoboth Beach, Del. They were accompanied on the trip by Mrs. Wetzel's sister, Miss Jean Shue and Miss Marvel Shue, of York.

Miss Patricia Howard, of Windsor Ont., has returned home after a visit with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. William J. Blair, of Quaker Valley. Mr. and Mrs. Blair accompanied by their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Norman K. Lady, Gettysburg R. D., accompanied their guest to Harrisburg Sunday.

The Willing Workers class of Bethlehem Lutheran Sunday school, Bendersville, will hold an out-of-door meeting Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Firemen's grove. Mrs. Frederick Koontz will be the hostess.

The Blue Ribbon club will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Melvin Warren, of Arendtsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus G. Bucher and their daughters, Sue and Ann, of Biglerville, have returned from a vacation spent at Ocean City, N. J. and in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Hoffman had as dinner guests Saturday at their home in Arendtsville their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Owens and their two children, of Hartford, Conn.

Arendtsville's junior baseball team won the last game of the five game series with Bendersville, 6 to 5, on its home field Monday evening. Lawrence Weirman was the winning pitcher and B. Orner the losing one.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Owens and their two children have returned to their home at Hartford, Conn., after a visit with Mrs. Owens' parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Smith, Aspers R. D.

Ralph Sandoe, Jr., of Baltimore, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sandoe, of Biglerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Roth had as guests Sunday at their home in Biglerville their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Roth, son, Tommie, and daughter, Linda, of Goodysar.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hanks, of Princeton, N. J., have been visiting Mrs. Hanks' brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Slaybaugh, of Biglerville.

Mrs. Ralph Davis and children, Linda, Sharon and Jimmie of Hyattsville, Md., are spending two weeks with Mrs. Davis' mother, Mrs. James White and family of Biglerville R. 2.

Francis White of Springfield, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. George Eyster, Mr. and Mrs. John White and son, Jack, of Emmitsburg, were Sunday visitors at the home of their sister-in-law, Mrs. James White and family, Biglerville R. 2.

Earl Carey has resumed his duties as postmaster at Biglerville after a week's vacation.

The Carleton Guild will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Ernest Hartman, of Arendtsville.

Mrs. J. E. Haslacker, of Washington, D. C., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Emma Harper of Arendtsville.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Nary, daughter, Louise, and son, Bruce, and Mrs. Nary's mother, Mrs. James Reed, of Biglerville recently visited Mrs. Reed's sister, Mrs. Elsie Nichols of Harrisburg.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Hoffman, of Arendtsville, their daughter, Mrs. Marlon Culp, and a niece, Miss Alvie Starner, of Bendersville, have returned from a vacation trip to Bedford, Jamestown, Lake Erie, Niagara Falls, Canada, Watkins Glen, The Ice Caves and Grand Canyon of Pennsylvania, and other points.

Mrs. C. M. Slough, of Biglerville, returned Saturday from a visit with friends in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Smith, of Biglerville, entertained at their cottage at Pine Grove over the week-end Mr. and Mrs. John Wetzel and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Wetzel, of Highspire, and Mr. and Mrs. Levi Hippensteel and Miss Betty Hippensteel of Shippensburg.

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Warren Coffroth, of Philadelphia and Somerset Saturday afternoon.

GREEKS SURE OF EARLY WIN OVER RED GANG

Athens, Aug. 17 (AP).—Government spokesmen said today there is little doubt the Grammos campaign against Communist rebels will end soon, and successfully for the Greek army.

A general staff spokesman said the defense line along the whole southwestern sector of the front had crumbled and War Minister George Strates told the cabinet last night the guerrillas were abandoning war material and wounded in unorganized flight.

Spokesmen said the rebel perimeter in the north had been whittled down to 22 miles and Strates said the army had captured the highest peak in the Grammos mountains, once a major stronghold of the rebel chieftain, Markos Vafiades.

Today's general staff communique, however, said only that national troops were in close contact with guerrillas at the summit of the 3,000-foot peak and a spokesman said the troops were 200 yards from the top. The communique said advances had been made all around the Grammos perimeter.

Rebels Are Scattered

Despite this optimistic picture, non-Greek military sources emphasized that victory in the Grammos area will not end the Greek civil war. There are thousands of rebels still scattered over Greece and they are busily engaged in sabotage and other forms of harassing activity.

In Athens, postal, telegraph and telephone employees defied the government and went on strike to enforce demands for higher pay. The stoppage paralyzed communications within the country and also those between Greece and other countries.

Only service for diplomats, the military and the press continued to function. The clerical staffs of Greek courts also went on strike.

Panayotis Pountanos, district leader of an organization of militarist monarchists, was wounded seriously last night by two attackers who fired five revolver shots at him. Police blamed Communists and said some arrests had been made.

TRUMAN PLANS 9-DAY CRUISE

Washington, Aug. 17 (AP).—President Truman will leave Friday on a nine-day cruise to rest and work on plans for a country-wide campaign for the Presidency.

White House Press Secretary Charles C. Ross said Mr. Truman will board the Presidential yacht *Williamsburg* on Friday afternoon. He will be accompanied only by members of his staff.

He will cruise down the Potomac, into Chesapeake bay, through the Chesapeake-Delaware ship canal and into Delaware bay.

The President plans no public appearances or trips ashore during that time, Ross told reporters.

Ross described the cruise as both a vacation and one in which Mr. Truman will "work on preparations for the campaign."

While no party officials will be included on the yacht cruise, Mr. Truman will be in touch by telephone with Senator J. Howard McGrath, national Democratic chairman. There is also a possibility that he may receive visitors while afloat.

Meanwhile, the President conferred today with Mayor David Lawrence of Pittsburgh, a Democratic leader in Pennsylvania.

Concert Directors Discuss Campaign

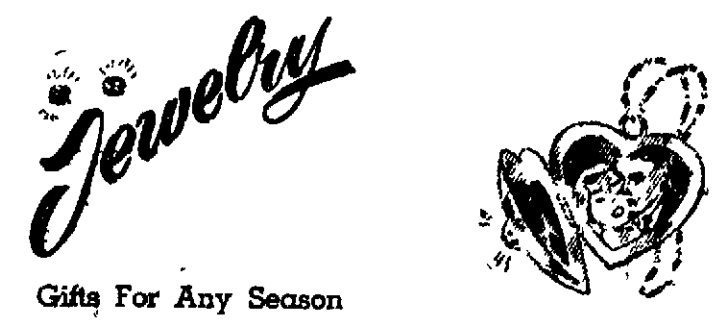
Tentative arrangements for the fall campaign of the Gettysburg Concert association were discussed at a meeting of the directors of the association Monday night at the Hotel Gettysburg. There were eight directors present, with the president, Kenneth Alwine, Biglerville, presiding.

The campaign will be held from September 27 to October 2. Mr. Alwine announced that he would name his committees within a few days. Another meeting will be held September 8.

Maryland Driver Pays Fine Today

Charles Patterson, 59, Glen Burnie, Md., paid a fine of \$10 and costs on a charge of failing to yield one-half the highway as a result of an accident two miles north of Hanover, on the Cross-Keys road, at 8:30 o'clock this morning.

State police, who laid the charge against Patterson before Justice of the Peace Claude Straley, New Oxford, said that a truck traveling north on the Cross-Keys road stopped preparatory to turning into a road leading to New Oxford. Patterson, who was also going north, police said, attempted to stop when he saw that the truck was motionless, skidded across the highway and struck a southbound car operated by



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GAS AND ELECTRIC RANGES

HOW CANADIAN SPY RING WAS SET UP BY REDS

(Editor's note: This is the last of three stories—based on the Canadian spy case—showing how one Soviet spy ring was set up.

By JAMES MARLOW

Washington, Aug. 17 (AP)—If you haven't thought much about undercover work, except maybe how a city detective finds out things, then you'd be dumbfounded by the enormous effort and planning the Russians put into their Canadian spy ring.

The ring was exposed in 1945 and 10 Canadians were convicted of taking part in it to help Russia. A Royal Canadian commission made a long investigation of the case and turned out an astonishing report. The rest of this story is based on it.

At least two Soviet spy rings were operating side by side in Canada at the same time. They were completely independent of each other and neither knew practically anything of what the other was doing.

Details from Moscow

Each had its own director in the Russian embassy in Ottawa. But both got their instructions, down to tiny details, from Moscow.

1. Col. Zabolin, military attaché in the embassy, ran one. He used Canadians as spies to get him military information about Canada. That was his job, and his only job.

2. The NKVD, the Russian secret police, ran the other. They kept a constant check on their fellow-Russians on the embassy staff and made reports to Moscow about them.

At the same time the NKVD checked on Canadians who were members of the Canadian Communist party and gave Moscow long reports on them. In addition, the NKVD did other spy work as ordered from Moscow. (All the convicted Canadians worked for Zabolin. His ring was busted wide open. But the Canadian government was able to find out almost nothing about the NKVD and its network.)

Ambassador On Outside

Both groups communicated daily with Moscow by wireless from sealed-off rooms in the rear of the Russian embassy. What each sent and received was unknown to the other. They used different codes.

What of the Russian ambassador who lived in the embassy? The Royal Commission says he took no part in the work of the two groups and had no right to go into the sealed-off rooms.

Moscow, the commission says, took great pains to keep the ambassador from knowing what the two groups were doing.

When Zabolin wanted to arrange a meeting between a Soviet agent and a Canadian spy, he'd tell Moscow his plans and ask approval. For instance:

Should the Canadian—so the Soviet agent could identify him—carry

Farmer Is Held After Shooting

Philadelphia, Aug. 17 (AP)—A 26-year-old migrant farmer, fleeing from what police said was a shooting-affray, was arrested and held for New Jersey authorities here after he accidentally shot himself in the right leg in a Broad street station washroom.

Detective John Haslam said Willie Evans, of Batonton, Ga., admitted shooting another migrant farmer, Henry Lewis, 26, following an argument over a missing wallet.

At Hightstown, N. J., Detective Charles Crilly of the New Jersey state police said Lewis was in critical condition at Middlesex county general hospital, New Brunswick, N. J., with a wound of the abdomen. Crilly said the shooting took place on a South Brunswick (N. J.) township farm where Evans and Lewis were employed.

Haslam said the washroom was virtually deserted when Evans dropped a .32 caliber pistol to the floor. The weapon went off and the bullet struck Evans' right leg just above the knee.

a certain afternoon paper under his arm, walk past a certain store at 5 p. m., dressed so-and-so?

Thriller-Diller Staff
Moscow might wire back saying something like "Make it 11 p. m., and tell him to carry the paper in his hand."

This is only part of the storehouse thriller-diller spy stuff in the commission report.

If you want to read that report—so you'll understand something of the Soviet spy system and so understand anything like it that may happen here or elsewhere—you can get it this way:

Write to the Royal Printer, Ottawa, Canada, and send one dollar to pay for the 733-page report. It's called "The Report of the Royal Commission."

To get a quick, highly readable roundup of the case read "The Soviet Spies" by Richard Hirsch, a former U. S. Army man. That's a paper-backed book of 92 pages. It's published by Duell, Sloan and Pearce, Inc., New York. The price is also one dollar.

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14 LOSE LIVES IN MISHAPS IN PENNSYLVANIA

(By The Associated Press)
Accidents cost the lives of at least 14 persons in Pennsylvania over the past week-end.

The dead:

Louis Leng, 74, Pittsburgh, struck by a street car in the Steel City.

Sharon Kelly, five-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Kelly, killed in a two-car collision near Washington, Pa.

The Rev. Albert G. Kountz, Jr., 32, and his wife, Norma, 27, of Hellwood, Pa., died after their car collided with a milk truck near Indiana, Pa.

Mrs. Margaret McCarthy, 52, of Carnegie, Pa., and Mrs. Marie Lindsey, 45, of East Liberty, Pa., killed in a bus-auto collision in downtown Erie, Pa.

John Church, 22-year-old, Pa. State Teachers' college student, killed in a truck-automobile crash.

Dorothy Castle, 18, of Guys Mills, Pa., injured fatally when an auto in which she was riding overturned near Linesville, Pa.

Lawton Mucheson, Philadelphia, drowned while attending a Sunday school picnic in Philadelphia.

Anthony Dobrosky, 30, of St. Clair, Pa., killed in head-on auto collision near Pottsville.

Dorothy Muller, 19, of Newfoundland, Pa., injured fatally when a car in which she was a passenger overturned near Promised Land lake.

Ernest Strausser, 19, of Clifton Township, was crushed to death beneath the wheel of a tractor he was operating on a neighbor's farm.

Ila Dawson, two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Dawson, of Newcooke, Pa., was drowned in a creek near Hazleton.

Clair E. Rohrbaugh, 38, Philadelphia, fatally injured last night when his auto collided with another car three miles west of York.

BEATEN GIRL FOUND IN PARK

Philadelphia, Aug. 17 (AP)—A 15-year-old girl was found wandering in a dazed condition shortly before Sunday midnight by Mounted Park Guard James McLaughlin who took her to Methodist hospital.

Park Guard Detective David Kominsky identified the girl as Violet Beckwith, of Dudley, Mass. Kominsky quoted her as saying she had been beaten by two men who threw her into the lagoon of League Island park and then sped off in an automobile, leaving her to swim to shore.

She was found in a collapsed condition in a roadway by McLaughlin. "They forced me to drink something," Kominsky said the girl told him.

Kominsky said tests would be made to determine whether the girl had been drugged.

The girl did not explain how she happened to be so far from her New England home, Kominsky said, adding Massachusetts authorities will

Athletes Trying To Stay In England

London, Aug. 17 (AP)—Some athletes from Communist-dominated eastern Europe who came to London for the Olympics are looking for ways to keep from going home.

At least five men—two Czechs and three Hungarians—have announced plans to stay in England. Several Yugoslavs and Poles have asked

to be contacted to determine whether she had been reported missing.

The girl was described as being about five feet tall and weighing about 100 pounds. Kominsky said it was not immediately determined whether she had been criminally assaulted.

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Out Of The Past

From the Files of the
Star and Sentinel and
The Gettysburg Times
FIFTY YEARS AGO

Local Miscellany: The following persons will leave Saturday for a week's outing at Leipsperger's dam, along the Conewago: Charles A. Blocher, Robert Rupp, A. Danner Buehler, Charles Holtzworth, Jacob Ramer, Dennis Twomey, Charles Myers, Herman Mertz, James Eicholtz and J. A. Holtzworth. Robert Rupp, Jr., went along as waiter and A. Hughes as cook.

On Monday morning about 2 o'clock, fire was discovered in the hall room of the house occupied by Mrs. Sallie Cox, but was extinguished without general alarm. A lot of clothing was destroyed.

The War Is Over—Hostilities to Stop at Once—America's Triumph—Victory Complete: Washington, D. C., Aug. 12—Peace began at 23 minutes past four this afternoon when Secretary Day, for the United States, and Ambassador Cambon, for Spain, signed the protocol in the presence of President McKinley and in the cabinet room at the White House from which he directed the war, and by 5 o'clock the formal orders stopping hostilities were cable to General Miles, Admiral Sampson and General Shafter and General Merritt and Admiral Dewey.

A cloudburst deluged the city and drenched the small flags over the White House during the simple and impressive ceremony which ended the most remarkable war in history, and gave us the custody of Cuba, the ownership of Porto Rico, and the other Spanish West Indian islands, with Guam in the Ladronez, and the present occupation of Manila and its harbor.

At the appointed hour a driving rain storm prevailed, obliging all the parties to resort to carriages for transportation to the White House. The President requested the hand of the ambassador, and through him, returned thanks to the sister Republic of France for the exercise of her good offices in bringing about peace.

President McKinley called for the proclamation, which he had caused to be drawn up, suspending hostilities, and signed it in the presence of M. Cambon, who expressed his appreciation of the action. Acting Secretary Allen hastened to the telephone and directed that cable messages be immediately sent to all the naval commanders to cease hostilities immediately.

On the part of the army, which Secretary Alger availed of the telegraph, Adjutant General Corbin braved the storm and crossed to the War department, where he issued the orders, which had been prepared in advance, to all of the military commanders, to cease their operation. The State department filed its duty by notifying the diplomatic and consular agents of the action taken. Upon emerging from the White House, Secretary Day received congratulations upon the conclusion of the protocol.

Marriages: Carbaugh—Wagaman: Aug. 11, by W. H. Low, J.P., in Fairfield. Mr. William H. Carbaugh, of Mt. Alto, to Miss Annie E. Wagaman, of Hamilton township.

Hankey—Hankey: Aug. 17, in Gettysburg, by Dr. T. J. Barkley, David S. Hankey, of Gettysburg, to Miss Rose V. B. Hankey, of Fairfield.

Deaths: On Saturday afternoon, Simon J. Codori, a well known and successful business man of this place, died at his residence after a long illness. In addition to farming, he was engaged in the cattle and meat business.

His funeral took place Tuesday morning. A grand High Requiem Mass was sung by his son, Rev. John N. Codori, assisted by Rev. Augustus Reader as deacon and Rev. Peter A. Cord as subdeacon. The pastor of the church, Rev. Henry S. Christ, was master of ceremonies and also preached a beautiful sermon. The choir under the direction of William A. Goulden, rendered beautiful music. Mr. Leo P. Stock sang in a touching way "Calvary."

The St. Francis Xavier C. B. Society acted as an escort, and Hon. S. McC. Swope, John A. Livers, Esq., J. Emory Barr, David Troxell, Geo. E. Stock, Esqs., and Prof. M. G.

Today's Talk

AS WE WORK

All work is an evolution — and sometimes a revolution! We see ourselves at work. We learn our abilities, our faults and our failures. But if we merely take work as something to be accepted—or mere material compensation—we miss the grand opportunity behind all work, which is to grow in it.

It is not enough to concentrate upon what one has to do. Dreams should be stirred up, ambitions cherished, and the mind constantly watered and fed. Edison was once a newsboy on a railroad in Michigan. Then he took up the telegraph instrument, and that began to talk to him. He was not merely holding a job, he was at work—his entire mind spreading out. He then started to have other dreams of his translated into realities. Later he not only gave light to the world in his electric lamp, but in scores of other creations. He set many another mind to work on the undiscovered.

As we work there is vastly more than the pay envelope to be considered. It's this mind of ours, this inner self, and many a problem that is universal in significance. The story of that brick-layer gave an immortal picture of every workman, when he was asked what he was doing. He did not say that he was working for so much a day, or that he was using up so much time. He replied that he was building a Cathedral! Can anyone imagine that he was an unhappy workman?

As we work we are in a process of growth, which is what we were created for. In a few years we have our physical growth, but our mental and spiritual growths are unlimited. The latter are what count, and upon which we can only be rightly appraised. It isn't the money we earn that makes us important, but what we do and what we are. No one is ever bigger than he does!

Many a worker has become an inventor merely because he thought while he worked. And always one invention leads to another. All efforts spread out, radiate, and inspire others to invent and to contrive. The great industrialists of today were not clock workers, but clock thinkers!

As we work there is something else that we should gain, and that is enjoyment. This is what gives to work its spiritual cast. Not all work is pleasant, but if it is essential it gives its own reward. There can be dignity to the most menial of jobs, for all work that has to be done is important.

Tomorrow Mr. Adams will talk on the subject: "Breath."

Just Folks

By EDGAR A. GUEST
The Feet of the People

MEN'S LOOKS
If looks to much amounted, then there'd not be many married men; For 'mong our sex, 'tis said but true, The Jimmy Stewarts are so few.

Clark Gable has a wide appeal, But life is earnest, life is real; And maidens look in vain to find A husband of the Gable kind.

For most of them the chance is thin That they a handsome man will win.

The magazines would never use For ads the husbands they must choose.

For motion pictures men must be The sort the girls delight to see, But were this true in real life, Not many men would win a wife.

THE ALMANAC

August 17—Sun rises 6:13; sets 7:54.
Moon sets 3:47; rises 10:11.
August 18—Sun rises 6:14; sets 7:53.
Moon rises in evening.
MOON PHASES
August 19—Full moon.
August 27—Last quarter.

Power were the pallbearers. Mr. Codori was laid to rest in the cemetery attached to the St. Francis Xavier church.

A large assemblage followed in the procession. . . . He leaves a widow and eight children.

As a result of his intelligent and honorable business methods, Mr. Codori leaves a large estate.

Personal Mention: Paul Bickle is seriously ill with typhoid fever at the home of his grandparents in Millbury.

E. G. W. Crist, of Hughesville, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey Dougherty.

Milton R. Remmel is spending a few weeks in Philadelphia.

Miss Mary Lavelly, of Pittsburgh, is a guest of Mrs. S. S. Neely.

Jno. M. Warner is in Philadelphia as a U. S. Juror.

Mrs. J. L. Kendeheart and children are visiting in Philadelphia and vicinity.

Miss Jeanette Stallman, York, is visiting Mrs. E. S. Faber.

Mrs. Sallie M. Stewart is visiting at Mecklenburg, Va.

Mrs. Bessie Willard and Mrs. T. N. Willard, of Philadelphia, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Chritzman.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Well, of Baltimore, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Miller last week.

Schmucker Duncan arrived home last week from Paris.

Mr. George C. Coban, the accommodating clerk in Mr. Amos Eckert's spent several days last week with friends in McConnellsburg.

Calvin Hamilton, wife and daughter are at Asbury Park, N. J.

MEMBERSHIP GAIN REPORTED BY LUTHERANS

Philadelphia, Aug. 17 (AP)—The United Lutheran Church in America announced today it added 41,144 new members last year.

The Rev. Dr. F. Eppling Reinartz, secretary of the church, listed total membership at 1,880,628.

The figures were announced after what Dr. Reinartz called an "X-ray" survey of the church's 4,000 congregations in the United States and Canada.

The survey showed that 31 per cent of the Lutheran church's additions were people who previously had no church affiliation. Commented Dr. Reinartz:

"This may seem like a healthy figure on the surface, but the report further discloses that the average congregation is receiving only slightly more than four unchurched persons a year.

Need Evangelism
"While the average is higher in certain sections of the country, a stronger evangelistic program is clearly indicated."

Dr. Reinartz said four per cent of the Lutheran additions came from converts from the Roman Catholic church. He stated that the greatest gain from the Roman church was in New York Synod, including New Jersey and New England, where 389 additions were made.

The Ministerium of Pennsylvania, which includes eastern Pennsylvania and southern New Jersey was second with 368, the report continued.

He added that Lutheran pastors performed 88 per cent more marriages over last year in which one party was Roman Catholic than did Catholic priests in which one party was Lutheran.

Three out of four pastors, reported Dr. Reinartz, listed an increase in membership as the result of mixed marriages.

Dr. Reinartz said questions in the survey ranged from adequacy of the congregations' fire insurance coverage to the typical nature of sermons.

The results showed, said Dr. Reinartz, that Lutheran pastors gradually are swinging to fuller use of vestments and that the average Lutheran church seats 284 persons.

Babe Ruth

(Continued from Page 1)

shortly before death came. "The Babe died a beautiful death," said the Rev. Thomas H. Kaufman, of the Roman Catholic Church of St. Catherine of Siena.

Dies In His Sleep
"He said his prayers," the priest stated, "and lapsed into a sleep—and he died in his sleep."

After Ruth said his prayers, the priest administered the last rites. At Ruth's bedside when he died were his personal physician, Dr. Hayes Martin; another physician, Dr. Loton Rasmussen; the priest and two male nurses.

Dr. Martin revealed that death was caused by cancer. Throughout the Babe's long illness the exact nature of his ailment had not been disclosed.

At the hospital when the end came were Ruth's wife, Claire; his two adopted daughters, Mrs. Daniel Sullivan of New York, and Mrs. Richard Flanders of North Conway, N. H.; his sister, Mrs. Wilbur Moberly of Baltimore, and two intimate friends, James Chapman and J. Paul Carey.

Had Surprise Rally
Ruth, who had been hospitalized much of the time since undergoing a neck operation on January 6, 1947, was placed on the critical list last Wednesday when pulmonary complications set in.

He staged a surprising week-end rally, and on Sunday sat up in an easy chair for 20 minutes while relatives and other friends visited him. Yesterday, his condition grew steadily worse. His fever rose and he was unable to take nourishment.

George Herman (Babe) Ruth, product of a Catholic training school for boys at Baltimore, retired from playing in big league baseball in 1935, after setting 76 records—62 of which still stand.

He hit a total of 708 home runs in regular games. After starting his baseball career as a pitcher, he was transferred to the outfield because his batting power was wanted in every game.

Tribute By Fans
Players and fans paid a standing tribute to the Babe last night when word of his death reached the Polo Grounds, where an exhibition game between the Yankees and the Giants was in progress. It was there that Ruth made his first appearance as a member of the Yankees. Similar tributes were paid at other ball parks.

The New York Herald Tribune, reporting that a new drug had been used on Ruth, said today his death revealed that he "played a dramatic role in one of the most exciting medical investigations of the generation."

The newspaper said doctors tried to save his life with teroperin, and he was one of the first patients to receive injections of the new drug.

Improvement in his condition after the injections was described at first as remarkable, the story said, but the improvement was temporary, causing hopes for the new drug to fade.

Butcher Backs Up Consumer Protest

Camden, N. J., Aug. 17 (AP)—Camden's "petticoat brigade" had the backing today of a butcher who announced he was in favor of the group's 10-day boycott protesting the high price of meat.

Mrs. George Ewing, president of the organization, yesterday quoted the meat store proprietor, Charles Dikter, as saying:

"I don't blame you women at all and I want to help you bring meat prices down."

Mrs. Ewing said Dikter suggested he would close his store for two weeks "if other meat store proprietors will join me so we can bring home to packers and farmers the fact that meat is out of reach of the average wage earner."

Mrs. Ewing said Dikter planned to address a meeting of her group today.

DAVIES NAMED COURT ARBITER

Pittsburgh, Aug. 16 (AP)—Charles (Chick) Davies, who recently resigned as head basketball coach at Duquesne university to coach at Homestead, Pa., high school, is the new commissioner of the all-American basketball league.

Announcement of Davies' agreement to a one-year contract was made last night by League President Mike Valan of Wheeling, W. Va., and Vice President Wy Parks of Pittsburgh. Terms were not disclosed.

The new job will not interfere with Davies' coaching and teaching at Homestead high school, the league officials said.

The league did not have a commissioner in its first year of operation last season. Five teams are signed up to participate in the circuit this year, Wheeling; Altoona, Pa.; Youngstown, Ohio; Dayton, Ohio, and Cumberland, Md. Other towns are expected to join.

Old Country Dances At Reading Festival

Reading, Pa., Aug. 17 (AP)—Residents of Italian, Polish and Slovakian descent donned native costumes and danced to tunes from the lands of their ancestors Sunday as nationalities day was observed at the Reading bicentennial celebration.

As one of the highlights of the program, part of an observance which started Saturday and will continue for 24 days, eight Polish girls who were orphaned during World War II presented songs and dances of their homeland.

Mayor H. C. Kersley of Reading, England, and his official party, dressed in the red robes of their offices to attend services at Christ Episcopal church where they heard the Rev. Frederick A. Mac Millen preach on the bonds linking the United States and England.

The average serving of roe in restaurants is half of a large shad roe, or from 10,000 to 15,000 eggs. The total number of eggs in the roe taken from a single fish is from 23,000 to 32,000.

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EXPECT 77,000 LEGIONNAIRES AT CONVENTION

Philadelphia, Aug. 17 (AP)—Philadelphia was ready today to again prove its claim to the title of "The Convention City."

Thousands of Legionnaires from Pennsylvania's 963 posts began moving in on the City of Brotherly Love for the opening of the 30th annual state convention of the American Legion tomorrow.

State Commander William J. Winsor and State Adjutant Edward A. Linsky and their staffs were scheduled to open headquarters at the Bellevue-Stratford today, and later registration of delegates was to begin.

Linsky announced more than 100 resolutions are being prepared by posts throughout the state for consideration at the four-day convention sessions.

Parade On Saturday
Many of the measures will deal with housing problems, pensions, anti-Communist motions, particularly those aimed in halting infiltration of Communists into government ranks, Linsky said.

A colorful six-hour parade will conclude the convention on Saturday.

The convention opens officially at 6:30 p. m., EST, today with a memorial service in Convention Hall.

Major General Daniel B. Strickler, commanding officer of the 28th division now at summer encampment at Indiantown Gap and Lieutenant Governor of Pennsylvania, will be the principal speaker.

Mayor Bernard Samuel will address the delegates and extend the city's official welcome.

Walter E. Alessandrini, president of the American Legion Convention corporation, has estimated that the sessions will attract about 7,000 delegates and an additional 70,000 visitors.

ASKS PROBE OF DAUPHIN HOME

Harrisburg, Aug. 17 (AP)—A grand jury investigation of "the former operation and management of every phase of the Dauphin county home and hospital," was urged last night by John E. Peters, Harrisburg businessman.

"I have sufficient evidence to warrant an investigation," Peters declared in a radio broadcast.

Peters previously had asserted that both the home and the hospital were operated "inefficiently" and the patients were "neglected."

Both the county commissioners and hospital superintendent Arthur E. Myers quickly denied Peter's claim.

"We have nothing to hide," Myers stated, "we will welcome an investigation."

Peters said that in addition to evidence of "general inefficiency" within the home and hospital, he had "proof the county officials and city officials had their relatives placed out there at the expense of denying indigent patients rooms and at either no cost or very, very little cost."

Peters, an Independent Republican, was defeated in the city primary race last year for the GOP mayoralty nomination. He lost to the party candidate Mayor Claude R. Robins.

Dry salad greens, after they have been washed, by placing them between two towels and shaking gently.

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FARM TOOLS, ETC.
One-horse wagon; harness; set fly nets; section harrow; corn sheller; grinder; garden cultivator; shovel plow; Syracuse plow; tools, etc.; brooder stove.

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Democrats Are Seeking Candidate

York, Pa., Aug. 17 (AP)—The Democratic leadership in the 21st Congressional district was looking today for a party candidate for Congress.

The nomination was left vacant when State Sen. Guy Leader, of York, resigned because of ill health.

The job was offered Ralph E. Rudisill, Hanover attorney, but Rudisill yesterday declined the offer. He said in a letter to George Leader, York County Democratic chairman, that he was "convinced there is not ample time x x x to effectively wage an active campaign."

Leader said the Democratic candidacy committees for the district, including York, Adams and Franklin counties, would meet in the near future to select a new candidate.

The Republicans have nominated Congressman Chester H. Gross for re-election to the post.

TOURIST TOTAL

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Tourists had visited the field according to National park estimates. Up to the same date a year ago the total visitation was 410,000.

A larger influx of visitors during the earlier spring and summer months brought the total figure for the year to date higher than for the previous year, despite a fall off in tourist travel during July. During that month the visitation was estimated at 128,000 compared with 136,000 during the same month a year ago.

Tourists who will visit the field during the remainder of the season will find a number of new features designed to increase their understanding of the battle here.

Place New Exhibits
Today workmen were engaged in placing four additional outdoor exhibits in four sections of the field which will give tourists a glimpse of what the field looked like at the time of the battle and other pertinent information.

Placed at East Cemetery hill, at the Reynolds statue on the Chambersburg road, near the tower on Oak Ridge and on Culp's Hill, the outdoor exhibits are in glass-enclosed cases placed on posts and standing about six feet high. Inside the boxes are pictures of the scene showing it as it was at the time of the battle, maps showing positions of the troops and explanations concerning the battle and the movement of troops.

Woman Walks Into Lake And Drowns

Pottsville, Pa., Aug. 17 (AP)—The woman who walked into nearby Lake Marlin and drowned yesterday was identified hours later as 45-year-old Mrs. Harry Crosland of Pottsville.

Identification was made by her son-in-law, Grant Uranko. Deputy Coroner Thomas Wythe issued a verdict of suicide.

The woman left a note in her dress pocket asking forgiveness for a "terrible act."

She is survived by her husband, two married daughters and an 11-year old son, Leonard.

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NEW COMMANDER STATE AIR ARM NAMED AT GAP

Indiantown Gap, Pa., Aug. 16 (AP) — A top level reorganization in the air arm of the Pennsylvania National Guard was announced today.

The announcement came as the guard's ground troops plunged into a rigorous two-week training program at this huge military reservation.

The reorganization, announced by Brig. Gen. Frank A. Weber, brings Col. William S. Johnston, of Rydal, Montgomery county, as new commander of the 53rd fighter wing. He succeeds Col. John W. Wolcott of Camp Hill, who was assigned wing instructor.

Col. Henry A. Sebastian, of Gainesville, Tex., was named senior air instructor for the PNG. He succeeded Col. John H. B. of San Francisco, Calif., who has been selected to attend the Air War college at Maxwell Air Force Base, Ala., the top air force school for high ranking officers.

Harrisburg Headquarters

Colonel Johnson's command now includes the air elements of the Pennsylvania, Maryland, Virginia and District of Columbia National Guards. Wing headquarters is based at nearby Harrisburg state airport and elements include:

103rd communications squadron, Harrisburg state airport; 148th fighter squadron, Reading; 104th fighter squadron, Washington, D. C.; and 149th fighter squadron, Richmond, Va. The Pennsylvania elements are attached to General Weber's department for administration and training.

The new wing commander has been active in the air force reserve and the air national guard for the past 25 years. From 1927 to 1930, he was a first lieutenant with the PNG's 103rd observation squadron as pilot and engineering officer. In the last war he served as a major with assignment as pilot and aircraft production engineering officer.

Begin Training

Meanwhile, the guard's ground troops, some 10,000 strong, were hard at work today on fundamentals and new wrinkles in the business of soldiering.

The troops moved on to the reservation Saturday and yesterday were given a day of rest to attend religious services and orient themselves.

The 112th infantry, of Erie, commanded by Kenneth W. Monneyer was tagged as the first unit to undergo the two and one-half day march and bivouac. All units will undergo this phase of training.

Miss Bentley.... And Our Educational System

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believed would lead to a strengthened and enlightened citizenship impregnable and invulnerable to any other governmentalism or philosophy. But the more we explore our educational methods and our school curriculums, the more evident it becomes that we have wandered far afield, whether intentionally or unintentionally, of the goal set for us by the early advocates of popular education; and the most recent confirmation of this is the observation of Miss Elizabeth T. Bentley, now appearing before the House Un-American Activities Committee in Washington.

Miss Bentley's Confession

While it isn't the purpose of this story to discuss Miss Bentley's disclosures before the committee with respect to her communistic affiliations and activities, her case, nevertheless, in the opinion of the writer, is particularly interesting; in fact, it is rather disturbing when viewed as a symptom of deficiency in our educational system.

This woman, a native American, confesses that for a considerable period she was a communist espionage agent here in her own native land. She has been, by her own admission, a bad citizen of the United States despite an unusual opportunity to be a good one. Her educational opportunities were far above the average. She passed through our public schools. She was graduated from the celebrated and highly regarded Vassar College. She received a master's degree from Columbia University. Why is it, then, that she matured as she did? Why did she fall as an American? Of course, there is no cocksure answer. But Miss Bentley herself gives us a clue that should cause some very serious thinking on the part of our education planners.

Lacked Proper Instruction

Miss Bentley testified that throughout the long period of her education she never, at any time, had a lesson in American history or civics. Not in the public schools. Not at Vassar. Not at Columbia. If this were typical only of Miss Bentley's education the fact could be dismissed as extraordinary but not important. Comparatively recent surveys conducted in different sections of the United States show, however, that her experience — her complete lack of training in subjects vital to good citizenship — has been shared, and is still being shared, quite generally by those who have passed through our schools, or are now pursuing their education in them.

These surveys disclose that fewer than 20% of our colleges have compulsory courses in American history. Although every state but Colorado requires that it be taught in either elementary or high school, the average pupil receives only two years of it, and largely in the lower grades when the mind is too immature to study it seriously or to absorb its meaning.

Individual Responsibilities

Civics, supposed to instruct a citizen not merely in his rights but in his responsibilities as well, apparently fares no better. In the District of Columbia, for example (and the same situation no doubt obtains elsewhere), civics courses have been dropped entirely from four senior high schools because of a lack of student interest.

Enlarging upon her own case with courageous and commendable frankness, Miss Bentley states that she has been only one among many Americans who "have not the slightest comprehension of what America really is, or what it means to live in a democratic country."

It is unfortunate but true that the United States harbors a great number of such characters. Most of them are loyal in the sense that they would not do the things Miss Bentley has done, but they have no true awareness of what our American Way of Life is, or of how sharply and how blessedly it differs from the tyranny of the totalitarians. Such people are weak and vacillating citizens. While they are free men and free women, in a free country, they are too uninformed and undiscerning to appreciate the significance of their freedom, or to understand that their responsibilities are at least as heavy as their rights; that our precious and costly liberties and freedom will fall if their woolly-minded and irresponsible attitudes become dominant.

Can Expect Improvement

It is perhaps too much to expect that a reasonable period of effective training in American History, in Civics or the real nature of totalitarianism and in the kind of religion that our Supreme Court has ruled from the public schools, would entirely correct their distorted thinking and attitudes, but it is a fair assumption that great improvement would result.

As the writer sees it, we have here a problem that deserves the serious attention and consideration of all intelligent parents and educators throughout the United States. It cannot be denied that our school system needs looking into. There is certainly something wrong with it. Maybe as wise old Benjamin Franklin said a long time ago, "Much of the learning now in use is of no use."

A system that lets a young girl study how to bake cakes or paint pictures at the expense of no study at all in Civics, or lets a boy ignore History and concentrate on football or botany, isn't likely to yield a good and finished product on graduation day. The repentant Miss Bentley has been a moving and eloquent witness on that score.

Need Informed Citizenry

Permit me to say in conclusion that we Americans are, in a sense, a peculiar lot. We take too much for granted. So accustomed have we become to our many blessings that we have a tendency to regard them as self-perpetuating. Such an attitude would be quaint were it not so tragically childish. The history of our country records what a terrific struggle we have had to attain our present standard, and it is only logical, therefore, that we shall have to continue fighting in order to maintain it. And to wage this fight successfully will require a well-informed citizenry, thoroughly grounded in the history and traditions of our great country and its free institutions.

To add a purely local note, the fond hope of your correspondent is that the forthcoming sesqui-centennial of our own Adams County — a celebration in which our schools will play an important role — will be the means of exciting wider and deeper interest on the part of our educators, and of our citizens generally, in the county's history, and in the outstanding progress made by its people — a free people — during the past one hundred and fifty years. If the celebration can meet this objective, it will have made an invaluable contribution to the county's general welfare.

Letter to the Editor

Dear Sir:

The item in your last Friday evening's edition headed "Two Men Hurt When Car Hit Wall of House" recalls my accident of a year ago last November when my car and one of Pennsylvania's State Police cars had a collision at this same spot.

It was a miracle that this accident did not result in death to all concerned.

At that time there was publicity given as to the number of accidents that had occurred at that particular spot and naturally I was interested in noting what action was being taken to prevent the continuity of such a hazard.

Every week I pick up some item stating that a collision had occurred there or certain motorists were fined for failing to stop at the Stop Sign. Obviously nothing has been done and accidents continue weekly.

I travel in my business over 50,000 miles a year by auto and from my experiences have come to the conclusion this is one of the most dangerous crossings in the eastern United States. I have driven over a period of thirty-three years with a total mileage of over a million miles and this same intersection was the cause of my first accident of any consequence. Therefore, I am naturally interested. I believe the state police recognize this as a most dangerous intersection in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

As a matter of curiosity I want to ask if you know — "why" lights have not been installed where all recognize the death hazard that exists.

Is it a case that the borough of York Springs feels that it can not afford proper protection or do they consider it a good money-making project in leveling fines for failure to note the stop signs?

If the last conjecture is correct then something should be done to force York Springs — the county or state to take action.

In my humble opinion — the failure to place adequate protection there is short of murder.

Sincerely,
E. T. Richardson

The koala bear eats only eucalyptus leaves and only those of a few species of the tree

SCOUT PATROLS

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urday at the York high school athletic field in York.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Kress, West King street, have received word that their son, Cpl. Joseph A. Kress, who has been stationed in Korea, will be transferred to Japan on August 20.

Witherow-Miller Nuptials

Miss Ruth Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer E. Miller, Newark street, Littlestown, R. 1, were united in marriage on Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Centenary Methodist church, Littlestown. The single ring ceremony was performed by the pastor, the Rev. Grant E. Hooper.

The bride was attended by Miss Betty Hankey, cousin of the groom, as maid of honor. The bridegroom had as his best man, his cousin, John Hankey.

The bride was attired in a gray gabardine suit, with black accessories and she wore a corsage of red rosebuds. The maid of honor was also attired in gray, with black accessories and wore a corsage of red rosebuds. Mrs. Winfield Lappi presided at the organ. She played the bridal chorus from Wagner, "O Perfect Love," by Barnby and Mendelssohn's Wedding March.

A reception was held at the home of the bride from 7 to 10 p. m., on Saturday evening and was attended by approximately 75 guests. The home was decorated with bouquets of gladioli and asters. The centerpiece of the refreshment table was a three tier wedding cake, topped with a miniature bride and groom.

Girl Scout Hay Ride

The couple left on a short wedding trip and upon their return they will be at home in their newly furnished house at Dillsburg. Mr. Witherow is a graduate of the Gettysburg High school, class of 1942. He served three years in the United States army in the European theatre and is now employed as a lineman by the Metropolitan Edison company and also by the West Shore Baseball League. Mrs. Witherow is a graduate of the Littlestown high school, class of 1948.

Members of Girl Scout Troop No. 15 will meet tomorrow evening at 6:15 o'clock at the home of their leader, Mrs. J. Ray Reindollar, of Lumber street, and will participate in a hay ride, followed by a wiener roast and a roller skating party.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tressler, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Rishforth, son, William, and Mrs. Katie Wehler, York, visited on Saturday evening with Mr. Tressler's mother, Mrs. Sarah Tressler and his sister, Miss Pauline Tressler, East King street and with other relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stavelly, Jr., and son Harry III, East King street, spent the week-end with Mr. Stavelly's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stavelly, Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin P. Rood, son, Edwin Paul and daughter Shirley Mae, Philadelphia, spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. Rood's mother, Mrs. Stella Rider, Park avenue. The children remained to spend the week with their grandmother, Mrs. Elmer Gall, Shippensburg, is also spending a week with her mother, Mrs. Stella Rider.

S-Sgt. and Mrs. Joseph Rickrode and daughter Elena, Aberdeen, Md., spent several days with Sgt. Rickrode's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Rickrode, West Myrtle street. Mrs. Swain and daughter Wanda, York, returned home with them, after spending the past week in Aberdeen. Mrs. Rickrode and Mrs. Swain are sisters.

Memorial flowers were placed in Centenary Methodist church on Sunday morning in memory of Bernard Shadle, whose 28th birthday anniversary would have occurred on Sunday, by his wife, Mrs. Rose Shadle, and their children, Sandra and William.

Miss Joanne Bankert, Auburn, N. Y., spent last week at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Newman.

The following from town attended the Redding reunion, at Forest Park in Hanover on Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Altoff, Mrs. Susan Redding and daughter, Mary, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Redding, Mrs. Mary O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Redding, daughters Jean and Ruth Ann and son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clair Redding, Benjamin F. Redding, Mr. and Mrs. J. Harold Redding and family and Miss Anna Altoff.

Mrs. Annie C. Parr and Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Boose, Philadelphia, spent the week-end visiting with relatives and friends in Littlestown and in Hanover.

Mrs. Annie Kelly, South Queen street, entertained the following at dinner on Saturday evening: Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hunt, Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Graeber, daughter Nancy Jane and son, Don, Westfield, N. J., and Mr. and Mrs. Howard J. Spalding, this place.

Mrs. John D. Baschior and daughters Sally and Jane, Lumber street, returned home after spending several days in Wildwood and Cape May, N. J., as guests at the cottage of Mr. and Mrs. Greer Shelley and daughter, Gail.

Harold Bowers, of Central Schools, Kansas City, Mo., is spending a two months' vacation with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gerrick, Kingsdale, and his father, Roscoe Bowers.

Frank Eby, his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Eby and his granddaughter, Miss Phyllis Eby, returned home after a two weeks motor trip to the western states. The group drove 6,000 miles, and visited 15 states.

Chorus To Rehearse

The weekly rehearsal of the Littlestown Men's chorus will take place on Thursday night in St. Paul's Lutheran church at 9 o'clock.

Mrs. Newton Stair, Silver Run, suffered a slight stroke on Saturday evening at her home. She is confined to bed and her condition is considered fair. She is an employee of the Carroll Shoe company.

Miss Winifred Collins, North Queen street, and Miss Marcella Stavelly, East King street, returned home after a ten-day trip through the New England states.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Gross, Baltimore, spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Spamer, South Queen street.

Clarence L. Schwartz, Jr., who joined the United States Army last week and was stationed temporarily at Camp Kilmer, N. J., has been transferred to Fort Dix, N. J.

The Keystone defeated the Eagles 7-6 in the softball league Monday evening in an exhibition game. Sonny's and Harry's won from the Hoffman orphanage 7-3 Wednesday evening. The Redeemers and Crouses meet in a league tilt.

There are about 13,000,000 bicycles in the United States.

YOUTH IS COMMITTED

An Emmitsburg R. D. boy caught last Tuesday night in the Reel Tire Service building, 250 Buford avenue, who later is said by state police to have admitted to several burglaries in this vicinity, was committed to the Allentown State hospital for observation and treatment Saturday by Judge W. C. Sheely. A second Maryland youth escaped Donald Reel, proprietor of the tire shop, caught both of them after they had broken in through a rear window.

PUBLIC SALE

VALUABLE FRUIT AND GENERAL FARM
Saturday, August 21, 1948, 2:00 P. M.

The undersigned will offer at Public Sale, the farm long since known as the J. Calvin Carey Farm, situated in Franklin Township, Adams County, Pennsylvania, located along the road leading from Arundelville to Cashtown, about one mile west of Arundelville. This farm contains 69 acres more or less and is ideal for the growing of fruit of all kinds, situated in the great fruit belt of Adams County. This farm has 12 acres of bearing apple, one acre of peach and about 3 acres of meadow land suitable for pasture, about 1 1/2 acres of woodland, and all the remainder is good farming land. This farm adjoins land of the C. H. Musselman Company, C. D. Arendt, Luther Raffensperger, Mark Hartman, Charles Miller, and Donald and Mary Boyer. The farm is improved with a good bank barn, a brick dwelling house and a separate dwelling house, these buildings are all in good condition. Good supply of water at all buildings, handy to stores, bank and church, mail delivery is R. D. No. 2, Biglerville. The purchaser will be permitted to put out the fall crops if he so desires, but all growing crops will be reserved. Further terms and conditions will be made known the day of sale.

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P. S. Orner, Clerk.

JEW, ARABS FIGHT 5-HOUR BIG GUN DUEL

Jerusalem, Aug. 17 (AP)—Jews and Arabs fought a big artillery duel for five hours today.

The battle began at dawn. Arab fire battered Jewish positions along the entire corridor which cuts the Holy City from north to south.

The Israeli army made no report on the Jewish return fire, but Jewish artillery was audible throughout the engagement. Automatic weapons fire crackled from both sides.

(Air raid sirens sounded in Cairo today. No anti-aircraft guns were heard. The all-clear sounded a short time later.)

(At Amman, Trans-Jordan, official sources charged that Jews, using tanks and artillery, seized a government house last night in the Red Cross security zone south of Jerusalem.)

Jewish Officer Slain

(A statement released there also charged that Jews disguised in "United Nations uniforms" attacked nearby irregular position from the security zone early today.)

(The statement did not explain what it was referring to by "United Nations uniforms." Uniforms worn by the Swedish, American, French and Belgian truce observers belong to each nation's military services.)

A Jewish liaison officer was shot to death in Jerusalem yesterday within 10 feet of U. S. Consul General John J. MacDonald. An Israeli spokesman blamed an Arab sniper for the attack. The victim was Ze'ev Hertzog, 36.

Israel's attorney general sought in magistrate's court to pin the Ben Yehuda street bombings on one of two Britons on trial on sabotage and spy charges.

Frederick Sylvester and William Hawkins, utility employees, are accused of espionage and conspiracy. Sylvester also is charged with artillery spotting, illegal radio transmitting, and complicity in the bombing of the downtown Jerusalem street last February 22, in which about 50 persons died.

A young girl and her father testified they "had advance knowledge of the Ben Yehuda street bombing from Frederick Sylvester."

RUSSIA DRIVES TO COMMUNIZE SOUTHEAST ASIA

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
(AP Foreign Affairs Analyst)

Moscow is intensifying its drive to Communize southeast Asia—that vast and strategic theatre including Burma, the Malay peninsula, French Indo-China and the Dutch East Indies which we have come to know as Indonesia.

This intensification comes as the Bolshevik offensive in Europe has been slowed to a crawl by the vigorous resistance of the Western nations, bolstered by the Marshall Plan. Thus we can look on it in part as a matter of cause and effect. However, I believe we must attach more significance than that to the development, for the signs seem to read that the weight of the Communist world revolution will be shifted to the Far East.

May Be War Zone

In short the indications are that Asia may become the major battle ground between Communism and Democracy. Your fate and mine may be decided there.

The Reds gave us a hot tip of the importance of this Oriental offensive recently when it became known that an Asiatic Communism had been established at Bangkok, Siam, and that it would direct operations in the Far East. This eastern Communism supplements the European organization that is generally regarded as having been created to take the place of the Communism, or general staff for world revolution, which Moscow announced was dissolved in 1943—a gesture of "amity" to the Western powers.

As might be expected Indonesia is coming in for a particularly heavy assault by the Bolsheviks. The Netherlands government has announced plans for the establishment of an independent United States of Indonesia in 1949, this is the watching hour for the Reds to create as much confusion as possible and so keep the situation fluid until Communism can establish a Soviet.

Suite Red Plan

The whole muddled situation in Indonesia was made to order for Moscow. In the first place there is a population of some 75,000,000 scattered among the 3,100 islands of the Dutch East Indies. They have 17 major racial groups, speaking 25 languages and 250 dialects.

The result naturally is vast confusion with the Dutch trying to bring all the governments including the republic, into the projected United States of Indonesia.

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